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BRITISH NOTE MEETS WITH WIDESPREAD PRESS APPROVAL

Changed Policy Is In Accordance With New Impulse Of German Policy

"Daily Telegraph" On Grim And Ghastly Prospect

LONDON, June 29 (BWS)—German assertions that a policy of encirclement is being pursued are strongly repudiated in a Note delivered to the German Government on Tuesday and the terms of the Note meet with widespread approval in the morning press. Much reference is also made to Mr. Winston Churchill's grave speech to the City Carlton Club yesterday.

"The Times" says: "It is indeed the consistent desire of Great Britain to establish Anglo-German relations on the basis of mutual confidence and goodwill. If British policy has changed, it has changed only in accordance with the new impulse of German policy. So long as Herr Hitler was concerned with removing what might, with certain right, be regarded as injustices of the Treaty of Versailles, the British attitude was friendly and acquiescent even when his methods were unnecessarily abrupt and violent."

Now that he has gone far beyond those states which feel their independence to be in danger, "the help is purely diplomatic. It will never be anything else, unless the countries concerned become objects of aggression."

The "Daily Telegraph" says: "Those who were wont to call Mr. Churchill a mere alarmist will hesitate to do so today. His warnings have too often been impressively justified by events. And he may be sure to-day that his very grave estimate of the present international situation will not be easily dismissed."

It is a grim and ghastly prospect indeed, but it is necessary to face it with a constant mind, for nothing is more certain than that Mr. Churchill is right when he reminds us that we shall not escape from our dangers by receding from them, but only by adopting a strong and resolute attitude.

The illusion that we are not to be reckoned with seriously is sedulously spread throughout Europe by those who wish others to believe it, if they do not believe it themselves. That the British mood and mettle should be so misinterpreted is perhaps our own fault. But if Herr Hitler would listen to more wholesome counsel than that of Dr. Gobells he would know for certain that the British nation was never more in earnest, never more of one mind, and never nearer to the limit of its patience.

Decidedly, we shall not stand aside and that fact would be profitably realised, not only by Germany, but by her axis partner, who can hardly contemplate, with equanimity, the prospect of quarrelling with this country for the sake of doing injury to her other old friend Poland."

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Measure Of Self-Defence?

TOKYO, June 29 (T/Ocean)—"Measures of self-defence dictated by strategic necessity," is how the spokesman of the Japanese Naval Headquarters, Vice-Admiral Kanazawa, described the military actions against the two Chinese ports of Foochow and Wenchow.

Both cities, he pointed out, are forts and cannot be excluded from Japanese operations.

He urged third Powers to show an understanding of the grounds that impelled Japan to take this action declaring that the blockade of these ports and resultant restrictions of foreign trade, is in the interest of an early conclusion of the Sino-Japanese conflict.

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ACTION AGAINST FOOCHOW

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Sketching the career of the unit, Dr. Chokkar told how it worked in Hankow until shortly before the evacuation, then moved to Ichang.

It was only in Chungking that its ambulance, which was shipped

ATTACK ON JUNK: ONE MAN HELD

SHOTS FIRED BY ROBBERS

In a report to the police, Kong Kau, 30, fok of junk No. 1840E, stated that while sailing on Tung Ku Lighthouse on June 21 with a cargo of village wood, valued at \$10, and four jars of wine, a small fishing boat suddenly approached and fired a few shots.

The robbers ordered the fokis of the junk to lower their sails and to drop anchor. Two of the five robbers then boarded the junk and ushered the fokis into the hold, covering them with a revolver.

The junk fokis were later landed at Ma Wan Shan, near Nam Tau district, about 4 a.m. the following day. Kong reported the matter to the Hongkong authorities and returned to Ma Wan yesterday where one of the robbers was arrested.

The junk was also recovered with a balance of 60 piculs of firewood, at Tai O.

DR. SPAHO DEAD

The Yugoslavian Minister of Transport and Communications, Dr. Mehmed Spaho, died suddenly yesterday morning in Belgrade. Dr. Spaho, who was 58 years old, was one of the leading political personages of Yugoslavia and he was the undisputed leader of Bosnian Moslems for three decades (Transocean).

Part of the Italian Fleet which is holding manoeuvres in the Mediterranean has arrived at Barcelona for a visit of five days, says a Reuter message.

AMAH MISSING

An amah employed at No. 21 Tal Hang Road, second floor, who took the five-months-old son of her master to see a doctor at 10 a.m. on June 28, is reported to be missing with the baby.

King Zog and Queen Geraldine and their infant son are leaving Istanbul for France where they have rented a chateau near Versailles, says a Reuter message from Istanbul.

PRACTICAL DEMONSTRATION OF SYMPATHY FOR CHINA

Surgeon Tells Of Work Of Indian Medical Unit

"OUR WORK IS A PRACTICAL DEMONSTRATION OF INDIA'S SYMPATHY TOWARDS CHINA IN HER STRUGGLE AGAINST JAPANESE AGGRESSION," said Dr. M. R. Chokkar, deputy leader of the Medical Mission sent to the Chinese war front by the Indian National Congress, in an interview with a "Daily Press" representative yesterday.

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Expressing his satisfaction at the co-operation which the mission received everywhere in China, the doctor said that he was struck especially by the warm welcome it met from the people and the soldiers. "We were treated, and felt, like brothers," he said.

The medical service of the army is efficient and improving constantly, but supplies are terribly scarce. This, according to Dr. Chokkar, characterises the situation in the North. "There are many wounded and almost as many sick. We need not only surgical instruments and dressings but also quinine and specific drugs for such diseases as Kala-azar, which now takes a great toll of life," he concluded.

Dr. Chokkar sails on Saturday.

The balancing act.

(Melbourne Herald)

Criticism Against Britain And France

SLOW PROGRESS IN THREE-POWER PACT PARLEYS

MOSCOW, June 29 (Reuter)—Criticism of Britain and France, particularly the former, for the slow progress in the three-power pact negotiations, was made by the Soviet Deputy M. Shdanov, in "Pravda."

The Deputy complains that despite all efforts of the Soviet Government, at an early conclusion of the pact no substantial progress is observed.

After recapitulating the stages of the negotiations, M. Shdanov concludes that he knows that Britain and France desire a treaty with the USSR upon principles of equality.

They are, he writes, a treaty of respect, a treaty, if it becomes a reality, will become a playground for people who like others to pull chestnuts out of the fire for them.

Still less can the U.S.S.R., whose power and dignity is known to the entire world, agree to such a treaty.

"The conditions I referred to seem to be merely these; that that officer need only have reason to suspect that a person is contravening any of the provisions of this Ordinance and any regulation therein, and that, as regards seizure, there need only be reason to suspect that certain offence had been committed in respect of the goods, or articles concerned."

"A relevant question to ask is what are the provisions of this Ordinance breach of which will entitle a public officer to exercise such extraordinary powers?" It seems to me that the answer—a rather disquieting and startling answer—is contained in Section 38 (1) of the existing Ordinance."

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Kukuljevic Sweeps Choy With Service

YUGOSLAV WINS AT WIMBLEDON

LONDON, June 29 (Reuter)—Kukuljevic, the Yugoslavian player, advanced to the fourth round of the men's singles at Wimbledon when he defeated W. C. Choy, of China, in straight sets the scores being 6-4, 7-5, 6-4.

The Yugoslav's terrific service often ricocheted into the crowd when Choy attempted to retrieve it. The Chinese Davis Cupper was continually running from side to side retrieving Kukuljevic's acutely angled drives and volleys.

Choy saved set point at 3-5 in the first set Choy led 2-1, 3-2, 5-4 and in the second, the Yugoslav took the set game to love with four aces, which beat him repeated in the fourth game of the final set.

In the second round, Kukuljevic defeated McNeil, the United States and French champion, and a seeded player.

(Results of Wednesday's matches appear on Page 2.)

The Russian Army manoeuvres this autumn will take place on the Baltic borders. Formerly the manoeuvres were held near the western border.

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Paris Press Fears Nazi Coup In The Danzig

OBLIGATIONS TO POLAND WILL BE FULFILLED

PARIS, June 29 (Reuter)—Following reports of the arrival of German troops and arms in the Danzig the press fears a Nazi coup and warns Germany that Britain and France will fulfil their obligations to Poland.

"Figaro" says that German troops will be instructors in the Danzig Free Corps designed to check the Polish advance and enable the German armies to cross the Vistula.

"L'Ordre" says that if Hitler wins in the Danzig he will become master of all nations in eastern Europe.

The paper adds that the French Premier, M. Daladier, as his speech on Tuesday showed, has no illusions. Unfortunately Mr. Chamberlain continually encourages the Nazis by hesitating and ambiguous speeches leading to fear. He envisaged a new Munich which will mean an end to Franco-British power.

SIGNIFICANT POETS

WARSAW, June 29 (Reuter)—President Moscicki, in his address, emphasised that the towns of Gdynia and Danzig had exceptionally great significance for Poland's national economy. He added that that was why the Danzig was bound to Poland, by so many ties for the past centuries.

President Moscicki declared that both ports are freely open to merchant flags of all nations.

WATCHFULNESS

WARSAW, June 29 (Reuter)—There are no signs of agitation here following reports of Nazi military preparations in the Danzig.

The press has asked whether a putsch is impending. Rumours of possible trouble abound but the general attitude can be summed up as one of vigilance and watchfulness.

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MAN WHO FIRED AT DUCHESS OF KENT

Welder's Assistant Bound Over

LONDON, June 29 (Reuter)—Lewdedge Vincent Lawlor, aged 45, welder's assistant living in Walworth, was bound over at the Old Bailey this morning for twelve months on condition that he returned to Australia within a month.

Lawlor was charged with having in his possession, at Belgrave Square, a firearm and ammunition with intent to endanger life, or cause serious injury to property. He fired at a car in which was the Duchess of Kent and Lady Portarlington, who was accompanying Her Royal Highness.

The accused was also charged with a similar offence on June 4 when a window in Lord Harewood's house was broken by a bullet.

According to police evidence, Lawlor, who was a native of New Zealand, had no convictions recorded against him. In 1932 he became mentally unbalanced and had been in mental homes.

The Crown case against Lawlor was outlined at the Westminster Police Court on June 13 by counsel for the Director of Public Prosecutions.



In the World of Sports



WIMBLEDON SURPRISES

SEEDED PLAYER BEATEN

Gem Hoahing Loses Mixed Doubles

WIMBLEDON, June 28 (Reuters)—There were several surprises in the Wimbledon Tennis Championships yesterday.

After rain had caused a cessation of play for half an hour, the first real surprise came in the Men's Singles, when Donald McNeil, of America, recent winner of the French title, and the third seeded player, was beaten by the unseeded Yugoslav Davis Cup player, Kukuljic, 6-4, 7-5, 6-1, in the second round.

Other second round results in the Men's Singles were:

Deloford (Britain) beat Etchart (Argentina) 6-4, 6-3, 2-6, 6-2.

Collins (Britain) beat Brown (New Zealand) 6-3, 1-6, 6-4, 6-1.

Shayes (Britain) beat Pallada 6-4, 3-6, 9-7, 2-6, 8-6.

Riggs (U.S.) beat Avoy (Britain) 6-4, 6-4, 6-2.

Metic (Yugoslavia) beat H. F. David (Britain) 6-4, 7-5, 6-4.

Austin (Britain) beat Anderson (U.S.) 6-3, 6-3, 6-4.

Smith (U.S.) beat Menzel (Germany) 6-1, 3-6, 6-3, 7-5.

Puncee (Yugoslavia) beat Sherwood (Britain) 6-3, 6-1, 6-3.

C. E. Malfroy beat Lee 6-2, 6-4, 7-5.

Ghaus Mohamed (India) beat Tinkler (Britain) 6-4, 6-3, 6-2.

In the third round, Choy (China) beat C. M. Jones (Britain) 6-3, 2-6, 6-2, 6-4.

Choy kept an excellent length and frequently scored with deep drives. The game was notable for its long rallies, which taxed Choy's strength. He lost a match point at 5-3.

Women's Singles

In the Women's Singles, second round, Mlle. Somogyi (Hungary) beat Miss Billie Yorke (Britain) 6-2, 6-4.

Mrs. Dorothy Little (Britain) beat Mrs. Andrus (U.S.) 6-3, 6-0.

Miss Wood, the Devon County player, beat Mlle. Susanne Pannier (France) 7-5, 4-6, 6-1.

Miss Mary Hardwick (Britain) beat Miss Weavers (Luxembourg) 6-2, 6-4.

Mrs. Fabian (U.S.) beat Mrs. Hammersley (formerly Miss James) of Britain, 6-2, 6-3.

Miss Noel (Britain) beat Franklin Schumann (Germany) 6-3, 10-8.

Mrs. Sperling (U.S.) beat Miss Peters (Britain) 6-3, 8-0.

Miss Scott beat Miss Hamilton (Britain) 3-6, 6-0, 6-1.

In the first round of the Men's Doubles, Hare and Wilde beat Egan and Fannin 9-7, 6-3, 8-4.

Mixed Doubles

In the Mixed Doubles, first round, Henkel and Miss Whader beat Lee and Miss Grant (Britain) 6-1, 6-4.

Boussus and Mlle. Henrotin (France) beat Leysaugh and Miss Yorke (Britain) 6-4, 6-3.

McNeil and Miss Stammers beat Bean and Miss Uber (Britain) 6-2, 6-1.

Riggs and Miss Alice Marlin (U.S.) beat Horrell and Miss Huntbach 6-3, 6-1.

Olf and Miss Nicol beat Hughan and Gem Hoahing 8-6, 6-4.

Miss Hoahing gave her partner clever support at the net, particularly in the first set when they led 5-2.

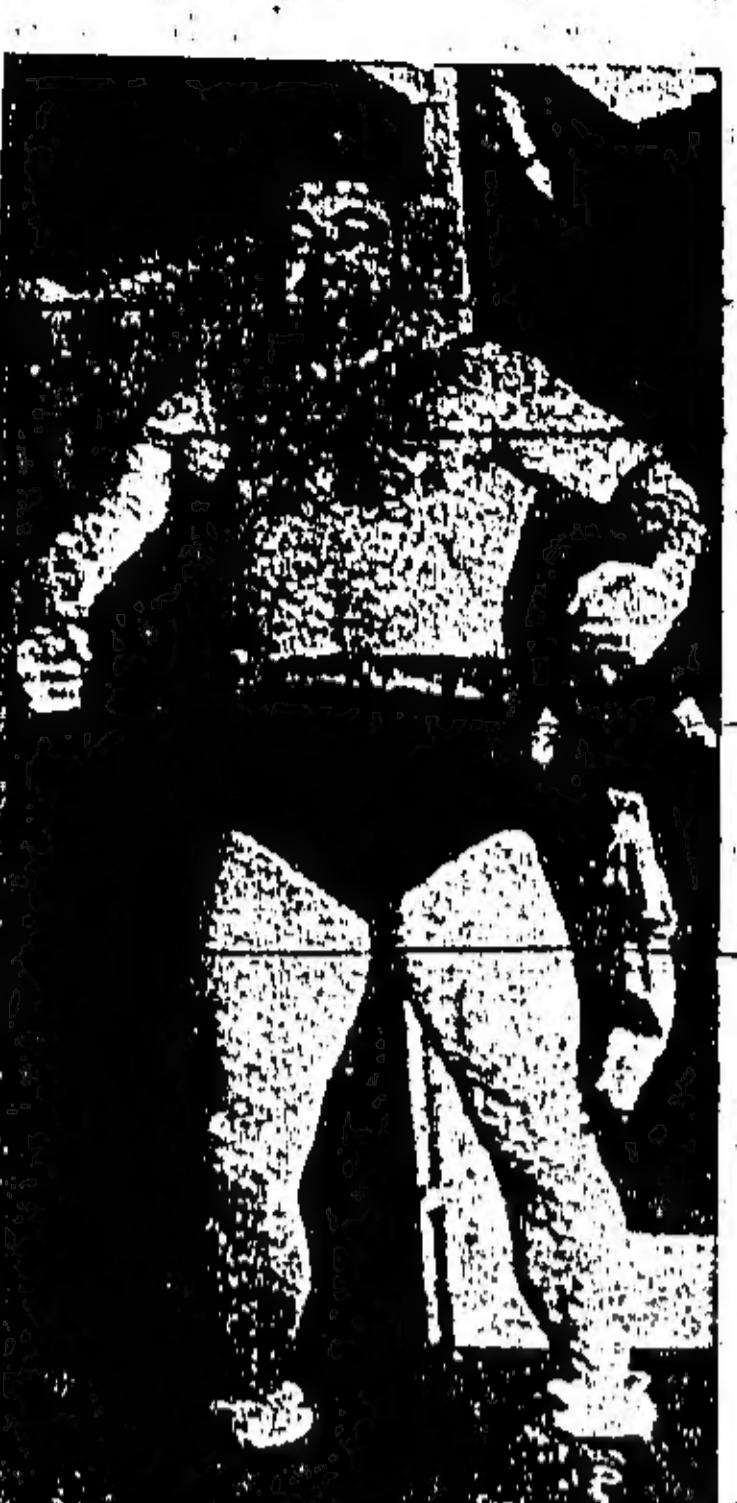
Jones and Miss Harvey beat Borrota and Miss Scriven 1-6, 6-1, 6-4.

OPEN BOWLS PAIRS RESULTS: TWO MATCHES PLAYED

Four matches were down for decision yesterday in the third round of the Open Pairs Championship. Of these only two were played, the game between J. Fraser and E. C. Flinch versus R. Ellis and D. Fitches, at the Kowloon Football Club, and J. Luz and L. F. Xavier against F. C. Channing and C. Downman, at the Kowloon Docks, being postponed.

At the Kowloon Football Club, W. H. Hobbs and R. S. Meadows, after leading by 18 shots to 13 on the 17th hole, lost to J. V. Hanney and R. Lapley by 18 shots to 19.

J. E. Noronha and C. G. Silva, strongly fancied to reach the final,



GALLANT GALENTO

"TWO-TON" TONY TAKES TERRIFIC THRASHING

LOUIS WINS IN FOURTH ROUND

NEW YORK, June 29 (Reuters)—Staggering helplessly into the arms of the referee, "Two-Ton" Tony Galento, after a very game fight, was unable to survive the murderous face blows which Joe Louis, the "Brown Bomber," and heavyweight champion, suddenly unleashed, in the fourth round of yesterday's title fight at the Yankee Stadium.

"Two-Ton" Tony Galento who, though beaten on a T.K.O., put up a game display against Joe Louis on Wednesday night.

RECORD BY YANKEES

SENSATION IN BIG LEAGUE BASEBALL

NEW YORK, June 29 (Reuters)—In a smashing 23-2 victory over the Philadelphia Athletics, the New York Yankees scored a sensation in Big League baseball over the weekend by beating by three runs their own American League record of 53 bases on hits made in 1932 and falling only two short of the all-time National League high set by the Cincinnati Reds in 1883.

The Yankees' eight home runs also beat the hitherto unexcelled mark of 7 homers in a single major league game, set in 1888. The box score was as follows:

	R. H. E.
New York	23 27 1
Philadelphia	2 7 3

Homers: DiMaggio 2, Dahlgren 2, Selkirk, Gordon, Henrich and Dickey for the Yankees.
Battery: Hamlin and Phelps.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	R. H. E.
New York	10 18 0
Philadelphia	0 3 0

Homers: Gordon 2, Crosetti; Dahlgren and DiMaggio one each for the Yankees.
Battery: Gomez and Dickey.

Second Round
Galoreto opened the second round with a left hook, but he was soon bleeding badly from his nose when Louis started jabbing.

Louis repeated his jabs and Galento fell into a clinch.

He broke away and sent Louis down from a right hook, but there was no count.

Galoreto attacked again and landed a left hook to the chin and another to the jaw, rocking Louis.

Two-Fisted Attack
Galoreto followed up and landed on Louis' jaw with a left hook.

Louis next launched a two-fisted attack to the body and then cut Galento's lip.

Louis attacked fiercely and landed hard rights to Tony's jaw.

Galoreto was soon in trouble and was floored with a terrific right, but was up after a count of one.

This was Louis' round.

Third Round
Galoreto Rocked
In the third and fourth rounds Galento forced the pace and rocked Louis with a left to the body.

Louis retaliated and landed a series of hard lefts and then four terrific right hooks.

Galoreto was very game, but the referee stopped the fight.

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Galoreto roughly shook off a policeman who was trying to assist him.

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"I was just careless," he said, "and threw up my guard in the fourth, but anyhow I could not see by that time.

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Asked if he was interested in going to England to meet Tommy

Farr, Louis said: "I would like it very much."

The champion was completely unmarked, except for a small bruise over his right eye.

Louis said he would fight only once more this year, either against Farr in London or Lou Nova in America.

He said he was considering offers from Gen. Crowley, the London promoter.

Crowd Stirred
Galoreto, by a magnificent early attack, in which Louis was floored and he himself got up from a terrible floater, stirred the crowd to the point of pandemonium.

Galoreto was very dangerous with his awkward weaving style and his sudden leaping in bothered the referee.

But when he straightened up, he presented a wonderful mark for Louis.

Galoreto, for long before the fight, was the butt of humorous sports writers, but he showed no particle of fear, standing up to one of the biggest killers for years.

First Round
Galoreto

BELFAST, June 29 (Reuters)—Johnny Cusik, of Manchester, won the British and Empire Featherweight titles, beating the holder, "Spider" Kelly, of Belfast, the referee stopping the fight in twelfth round. The bout was over fifteen rounds.

It was a fast fight. Cusik opened an old cut over Kelly's eye in the fourth round.

Kelly attacked hard in the eighth, when Cusik landed a right hook to the jaw and put Kelly down for a count of four.

Kelly was being severely punished when the referee stopped the fight.

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There are many modern women to-day who do not care about engagement rings. Some of them prefer to wait until the finances are in sounder condition, then have a beautiful ring to wear with their wedding band. But there are many who think as you do, an engaged girl is entitled to an engagement ring. Try the following: privately arrange to have some of our tactful jewelers write to the gentleman, mentioning the fact that they are aware of his engagement through the newspapers to the charming Miss So-So, and crave the honour of providing the engagement and wedding ring thereto. If this does not work, you may have an intimate friend inquire in the presence of your fiance regarding the engagement ring she has not seen. But try the first suggestion before the later.

ZENOBIA?

DEBATER WISHES to know who "Zenobia" was, during the past week there have been hectic arguments over this woman.

It appears that this city of ours needs a library. There were two "Zenobias". Greatest was the Queen of Palmyra, 268 A.D., led armies, spoke five languages, boasted the country rather well. After a military defeat she was captured by the Romans, but they gave her a nice house, where she lived the rest of her life with her children. The other was the wife of the King of Armenia, A.D. 50. Her spouse threw her into the river "to save her from the enemy," but some shepherds rescued her. (All from Lippincott's Biographical Dictionary. We are not showing off our learning!)

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How Are Your Feet?

The season of bare feet and legs is with us. It is time to start reconditioning treatments if you hope to leave the footprints of beauty on summer sands.

Your feet should be free from callouses, corns, knots and stains. The skin must be attractive and supple.

Begin with a medium stiff foot brush and use it every day in your bath. This will relax knots and will increase the circulation which helps the skin's appearance.

Corns are among the most common woes of mankind. And far too many women try to get rid of them by cutting. Never cut corns. Ask your druggist to make up for you a solution of 5 per cent, salicylic acid in collodion. Every morning and evening, after washing and drying your feet, apply this solution to the corns with a wad of cotton wrapped around a stick.

SOAK IN HOT WATER

In four or five days the corn will be ready to be removed. Soak the feet in hot water, then gently lift the corn. If it clings continue the treatment a few days more until it does lift out; never tear it off.

Callouses will usually melt away under the regular application of your hand lotion. However, if the callouses seem stubborn, give it the treatment suggested for corns. Or rub the callouses gently with pumice stone after your bath.

Massage of the feet is necessary if you hope to have them look their best. Use a good cold cream and work it in well. Trim your nails straight across, using special nail nippers. Do not, under any misguided circumstances cut your toenails into points, nor should you ever cut them in curves.

Then you won't have to bury your toes in the sand!

SIMPLICITY IS KEYNOTE OF CHARM IN DRESS**DO NOT LET SHOES BETRAY YOU: ICY SHOWER BENEFITS**

The definition of "charm" still baffles the phraseologists. But this much we know: a charming woman has poise, a sense of harmony and fitness, and good taste in dress and grooming.

There's the matter of over-dressing, an absurdity which is caricatured most effectively every day in our streets. If you have difficulty realising the extra piece of costume jewellery, flower, veil, feather or bright slip of a handkerchief in your pocket, then give it and look at yourself hard and long in the mirror. You will see it just does not "go."

Simplicity is the keynote of NOT TOO TIGHTLY.

Don't tug at your girdle. A foundation garment does not ride up if it is long enough to hug the hips when you sit down. It has stout elastic to stretch and contract, and is not fitted too tightly. Change the elastic often in the garters and strap them tautly.

The panty type of girdle, or rubber spliced net or feather-weight elastic, is an excellent choice, if you need only a slight support. You can make a similar garment yourself out of stout satin, as many fashion models do. They are patterned after dancing shorts, and are close-fitting, slide-fastened and snugly gathered, to give smooth firm contours and to stay fixed to the body.

AVOID MANNERISMS

Avoid mannerisms that subject you to caricature, such as angular jerks of the arms and hands, fluttering rearrangement of hair or dress, and ungraceful movements of knees and feet.

Where is charm in a stepped-from-the-bandbox freshness of appearance. A fresh and never too obvious make-up, shining hair and clean, glowing skin are automatic.

As a preliminary to your bath, give yourself a vigorous dry brushing to arouse the circulation, bring up a pink glow, and tone your skin. Don't overlook the benefits of an icy shower to tone the flesh after a warm soaking in the tub. It helps to prevent flabby skin.

HOLLYWOOD STAGES A WEDDING

Maid of honour: Blonde Vicki Lester, gowned in pale blue starched organdie, hand-embroidered with garlands of pink flowers. Full puffed sleeves add a pictureque note. Her hat is a twist of tulle, trimmed with knot of valley lilies.

MAKE-UP RULES—WHEN YOU'RE FIFTY

Clothes will do a lot for your hair styles and hats will do plenty for the contour of your head. Now for some advice about shedding the years from your face. Do not forsake make-up; it is more important now than ever it was.

Never wear rouge over wrinkles or hollows. Since it accentuates them.

Wear rouge sparingly because it stands out more on older skins on account of the loss of pigmentation that comes with age.

Bring the rouge up from the cheeks, blending it out over the

still has rose creamy tint. Match them carefully.

Pat on powder without moving the puff. Drawing the puff across the face makes powder catch in wrinkles and results in visible streaks.

Don't be afraid of lipstick.

Make up your neck along with your face. A youthful face aging from an ageing neck is a dead give-away. Neck make up will include powder, foundation and powder.

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ROUND THE SHOPS

Sales, midsummer ones, and bargains too, the shopper will find gains in this coming week. Many of the shops are bursting forth with sale days and large stock discounts which certainly will help the wardrobe situation for the rest of summer.

Mid-summer's latest in apparel has just arrived and here you find the "shirt and skirt" frock. Two and three piece play suits, slack costumes, the inexpensive but impressive cotton frock mornings, or afternoon costumes dressy or tailored.

The latest styles for informal or formal evening attire are truly dainty, lovely, feminine creations. For instance, the "little girlie" red and white candy-striped orandy with a full circle skirt with vertical ruffles and a short waisted, puffed-sleeved bodice. The coloured dotted Swiss frocks of unusual design trimmed with rickrack ruffles or coloured bias binding.

All right into Lane, Crawford and there you will find the tennis ensemble in the Colony. Tennis dress in white "Robene", two and one-piece. The blouse and pleated shorts are one having a wrap round skirt buttoning down the front. And you do not have to combine these well-tailored and washable costumes to a tennis court, any sports activity they will satisfy.

The tennis socks of ribbed lace in white or colours are simple but extremely smart at the ankle. Too, new tennis shoes have just arrived with crepe or smooth rubber soles.

And the word of cheer regarding such a costume is the new styled "briefs" for women. An airtex mesh, abbreviated pantie which fits like a glove and has no surplus material. When laundered this garment retains a certain amount of elasticity which is helpful in any active sport. They are mere handfuls and just the thing for shorts, playuits or slacks.

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Other creations adopted this season are from peppermint balls, gum drops and even chocolate drops, made in combination necklaces and bracelets.

ODD COLLECTION

Women are putting almost as many strikingly queer things around their necks as they put on their heads. And this is true due to the odd collection of ornamental jewels they are wearing.

Don't be surprised if you see a girl with little spoons of darling cotton string from a neck chain. Gay buttons, bright bits of metal, tiny imitation fruits are all in order for summer wear.

The many little gadgets which made the charm bracelets of last season so popular may now be incorporated into charm necklaces.

The charms may be all the same or may be widely varied. Any theme, sports, business or frivolity may be carried out in these pieces.

COSTUME JEWELLERY

The "exclusive note" of summer costumes is provided by a certain piece of costume jewellery.

A few of the latest raves in this costume accessory are borrowed from sugared popcorn balls, bracelet and necklace matching. The set is made of white enameled wood, light as air, studded with tiny, gold nailheads and strung on a silk cord. Another creation is inspired by Jordan almonds, in pastel shades and strung also on silk.

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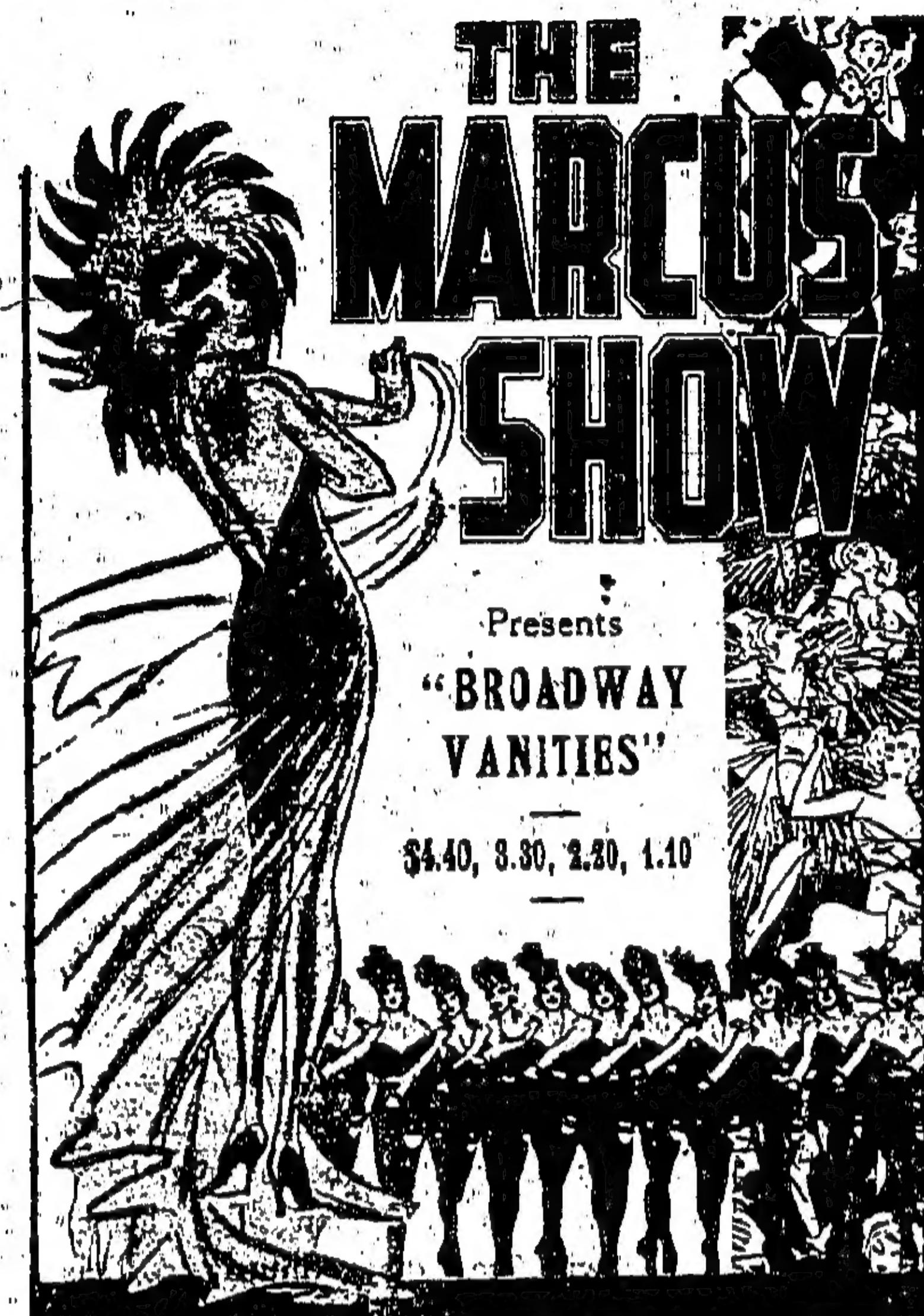
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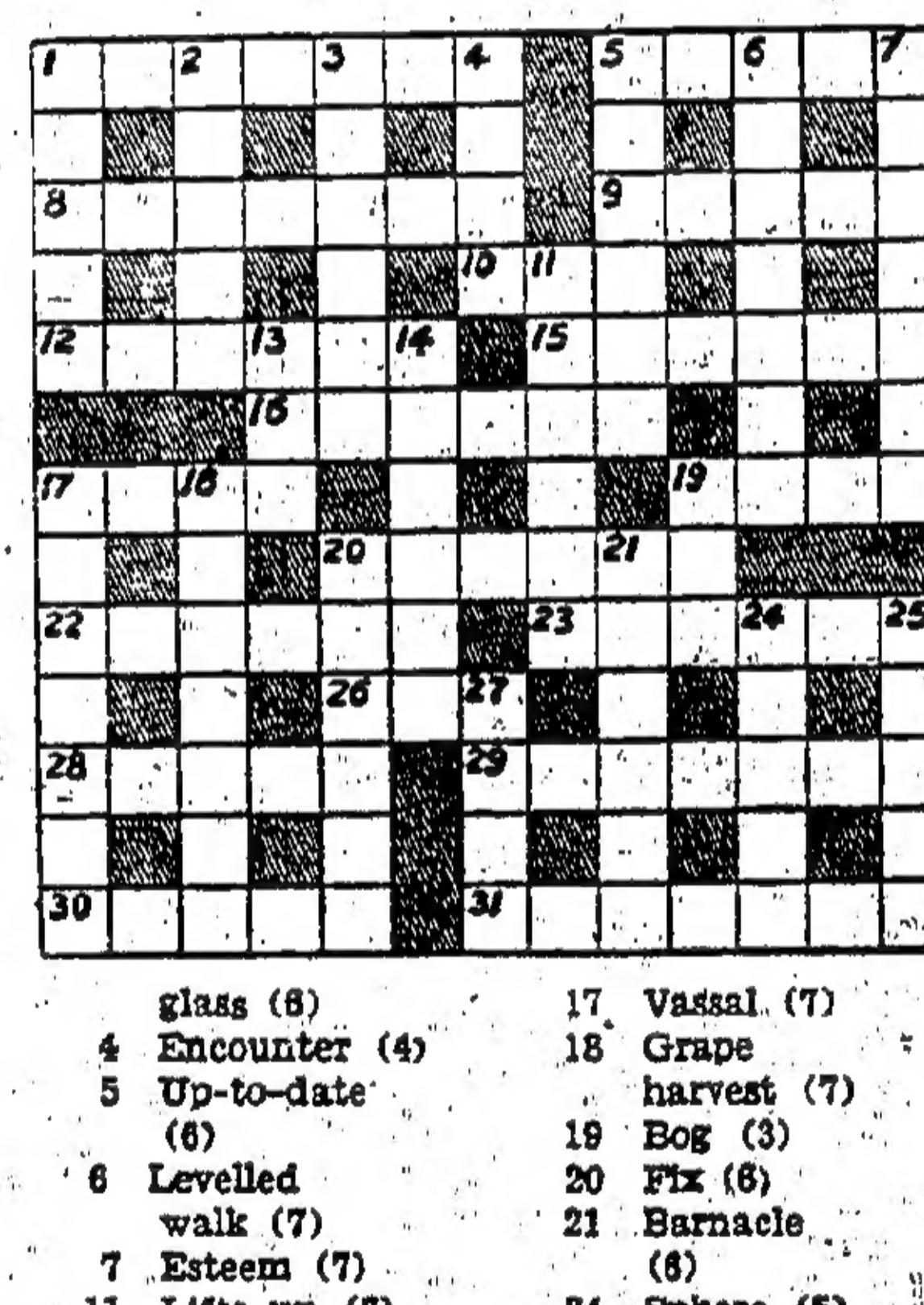
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NEW YORK, June 14.—When film star Marlene Dietrich arrived at New York pier to-day, with husband and adopted daughter, and boarded the Normandie to sail for Europe, she found her entire luggage—thirty-four trunks and two bags—on the deck, guarded by revenue officials.

They were holding the luggage as "hostage"—until Marlene paid £56,800, income tax they said was owing.

Marlene argued; so did the Revenue officials. Crowds milled around.

The officials couldn't make up their minds whether to allow the luggage to sail or not. To the great delight of the rubbernecks, perspiring porters heaved it from boat to pier, pier to boat, each time the officials changed their minds.

Fed Up

Marlene, fed up, said she didn't care if she had to sail without her thirty-six pieces.

"You can't," yelled the rubbernecks, "remember, you're the world's best-dressed woman!"

"I don't understand this at all," wailed Marlene. "I'm an American citizen (from last week) and I don't owe any income tax."

"In 1936 and 1937 I paid £21,000 each year. I didn't work in 1938, so I can't imagine why they are holding my things."

Revenue officials explained that in 1938 and 1937 Marlene was a resident alien, liable to pay tax on income from any source. And she made a picture in England. It was for that they wanted £56,800.

Angrier and Angrier

Marlene grew angrier and angrier and when the tax officials would not allow her husband to join her on board she raved, "Am I a criminal?"

All this took time, and already the French line had held the Normandie for an hour and forty minutes. Something had to be done.

So once more the thirty-six pieces of luggage were heaved aboard and there and then: on the deck, Marlene unpacked emeralds and diamonds worth £20,000, handed them over "on account."

This time the luggage stayed aboard and the Normandie sailed.

COMING EVENTS

TO-DAY—Times: High 8:07 a.m. and 10:12 p.m. Low 1:12 a.m. and 3:15 p.m.

Sunrise 5:41 a.m. Sunset 7:11 p.m. H.K. Mines Ltd. Adm. 11 a.m. Crown Land Sales (O.D.O. South) 11 a.m.

Y.M.C.A. Mxd. Swimming 6:30 p.m. Badminton 8:30 p.m.

Y.M.C.A. "Keep Fit" Class 10 a.m. Cheero Club Darts, Ping-pong and Billiards

Helena May Christian Fellowship 10 a.m. Too H. Mtg. St. Andrew's Hall, 6:30 p.m.

Exhibition of War Pictures, Chinese YMCA, Kowloon, 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. R.E. Sergs. Mess. Whist and Tombola 9:15 p.m.

St. Patrick's Club Tombola 9 p.m.

JULY 1—Tides: High 8:45 a.m. and 10:50 p.m. Low 1:45 a.m. and 3:49 p.m.

Bank Holiday

Govt. Trained Teachers' Union Social Club, Cecil, 8 p.m.

St. Andrew's Club Moonlight Picnic

Art. Raid Wardens Exam. Council Ch. 10 a.m.

Entries close, for Kowloon C.C. Tennis Tournament

Air. Raid Wardens Instructors Exam. Council Ch. 10 a.m.

Y.M.C.A. Discos and Group 9 p.m.

9-H.K. Rotary Club. Directors Mtg. H.K. Hotel, 8:15 p.m.

Draw for Kowloon C.C. Tennis

Tournament

Motor Driving Licences due for renewal

Crown Land Sale, P.W.D. Office, 3 p.m.

Y.M.C.A. Whist Drive 8:30 p.m.

4-American Consul-General's Reception, American Club, 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

H.K. Rotary Club Closed Mtg. 1 p.m.

Silver Wedding, Mr. and Mrs. A.W. Grimmett, H.K. Hotel, noon.

Y.M.C.A. Mxd. Swimming 6 p.m.

Badminton 8 p.m.

5-Y.M.C.A. Women's Section Mah-jongg 10 a.m.

6-Chinese Chamber of Commerce—Election of New Committee

Y.M.C.A. Military Whist Drive 8:30 p.m.

7-Art Exhibition at Kam Ling Restaurant

Diocesan Boys' Sch. Speech Day and Prize Giving, 8:30 p.m.

Y.M.C.A. "Keep Fit" Class 10:30 a.m. Mxd. Swimming 8 p.m., Badminton 8:30 p.m.

8-Kowloon C.C. Tennis Tournament starts

R.E.O.C.A. Flannel Dance, 8:30 p.m.

Y.M.C.A. Launch Picnic 2:30 p.m.

10-Crown Land Sale, P.W.D. 3 p.m.

11-H.K. Rotary Club, Ladies Day.

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12-Wedding at Rosary Church, Kowloon, Xavier-Gill, 8:30 p.m.

14-St. Paul's Girls' Sch. Speech Day 8:30 p.m.

Women's Health League Classes for Children start at Kowloon C.C., 9:30 a.m.

Crown Land Sale, P.W.D., 3 p.m.

18-Kowloon Union Ch. Mah-jongg Drive, 3 p.m.

20-Crown Land Sale (O.D.O. Ping-shan) 11:30 a.m.

24-Entries close for All-Cycling Mtg.

28-H.K.V.D.C. Annual Aquatic Sports, V.R.C.

Police report that the activities of 20 out of 80 Hollywood night clubs which they visited were questionable. The Hollywood Boulevard is one of the streets particularly marked out in this respect. A police commission is considering the report.

Mary Astor has announced that she is expecting another child in June or July.



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The Kwangtung Provincial Government has appropriated more than \$30,000 for emergency relief of the refugees from the Swatow-Chaochow area. It is planned that tracts of waste land will be marked out for the refugees to do reclamation work and small handicrafts workshops will be established for them.

Hsiao Lih-chen, magistrate of Pengshan District in Szechuan, has been dismissed from office for inefficiency in opium suppression. Hsiao is now in Chungking. Gen. Wang Tsan-shu, Chairman of the Szechuan Provincial Government has telegraphically requested Gen. Ho Kuok-wang, Mayor of Chungking, to arrest and escort him to Chengtu for trial.

Hongkong is soon to lose one of its leading American residents when Mr. Howard Donovan, the U.S. Consul, leaves the Colony on July 29 in the a.s. President Coolidge. Mr. Donovan is not to return here as he has received notification of his transfer to Bombay as Consul when his leave expires.

Mr. E. C. Goodrick, late of the F.M.S. Railways, passed away peacefully on Monday in Brighton (Sussex) after a major operation. The late Mr. E. C. Goodrick first came to Malaya in 1913 as a Traffic Signal Inspector, and after serving fourteen years in various parts of this country, he retired in 1931 as Assistant Traffic Manager. He leaves behind a widow and a daughter in Brighton and a son, (Mr. G. H. Goodrick) who is also in the F.M.S. Railways.

In commemoration of the 2nd Anniversary of the beginning of Chinese resistance to Japanese aggression, the British Committee of the International Peace Campaign is collaborating with the China Campaign Committee and the Arts Peace Commission (Artist Commission of the I.P.C.) in the organization of a new series of demonstrations for aid to China in all parts of Great Britain, according to information received by the I.P.C. China Branch. The climax of these demonstrations will be reached in the China Week which is to be from July 8.

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WOMEN'S PAGE

NEWSLETTERS

Viscount Nuffield has given £1,000 to the Baptist Forward Movement.

The Y.M.C.A. will hold a launch picnic, leaving Kowloon, at 2.30 p.m. on July 8.

Major Granville C Fielden, late Seaford Highlander, Aisthorpe, Capel St. Mary, left estate valued at £18,197.

Miss M. da Rosa, of the staff of Messrs. A. S. Watson & Co., left the Colony aboard the s.s. Taisan yesterday for Shanghai.

Miss Gracie Fields is to receive the honorary degree of Master of Arts, the Court of Governors of Manchester University decided.

The speaker of the Y.M.C.A. Discussion Group on Sunday will be the Rev. Kenneth Dow. His subject will be "Some Thoughts on the Old Testament."

The death occurred recently at St. James's-square, S.W., of Lady Murray, widow of Sir George Sheppard Murray, who died in 1928, and daughter of the late Dr. N. B. Denney of Singapore.

Mr. R. R. Cummings, League of Nations representative in London since 1934, has been appointed the British Broadcasting Corporation's Public Relations Officer for Europe.

Mr. George Bernard Shaw has written a new play, "In Good King Charles's Golden Days" for the Malvern Festival which opens on August 7 for four weeks. The festival is again dedicated to Mr. Shaw.

The names of over 800 candidates for the examinations which will shortly be held by the Sino-British Boxer Refund Committee for scholarships to England, were sent to Chungking on June 23. Most of the applicants are qualifying for natural science courses.

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The Shensi Provincial Mobilization Committee was formally inaugurated in Sian on June 19 at an impressive ceremony which was attended by over 300 government officials and representatives from various public bodies. General Chiang Ting-wei, Chairman of the committee, presided at the ceremony, while Mr. Chang Chi, member of the Central Executive Committee of the Chinese Government, delivered a stirring speech.

A branch office of the Overseas Chinese Affairs Commission of the Chinese Government will shortly be established in Kunming, Yunnan, and Mr. Chang I-hsien has been appointed to direct the office. The new office will be responsible for the reception of overseas Chinese mechanics. It will also negotiate for overseas Chinese capital investments in China, and advise overseas Chinese students returning to China to pursue higher education.

GOING UP

Mr. Christopher Robin Milne, the hero of so many children's poems written by his father, Mr. A. A. Milne, is growing up.

He is leaving Stowe at the end of this term and is going to Trinity College, Cambridge, where he has won a £1,200 scholarship in mathematics.

Young Mr. Milne is an athlete as well as a scholar. He is Stowe's crack squash player and also plays in the school's tennis team.

But will he ever grow out of—I've got shoes with grown-up faces;

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MARLENE'S EVENING RUINED

Marlene Dietrich, who has just become an American citizen, went into a night club looking radiant in a heel-length creation of heavy white tulle in Grecian style, with hood to match.

She smiled all round; then her smile froze, and she gasped. Sitting a few tables away was Mrs. Dudley Roberts, junior, young New York society matron, wearing exactly the same dress and hood.

Marlene turned crimson and, exclaiming, "This has ruined my evening," stalked out, followed by an embarrassed young man who was her escort.

"Well," said Mrs. Roberts, "I was there first. I saw Miss Dietrich come in, and I saw our dresses were the same. But after all, you know, what does it matter?"

"I think it's all very foolish. It doesn't bother me; I don't see why it should bother her."

"SOMEWHAT SECRET"

MARY HOWARD'S NEW ROLE

As a result of her performance as one of the girls in "Four Girls in White," Mary Howard, former Ziegfeld, Folies girl, has been selected to play the lead in the new two-teel musical, "Somewhat Secret."

The Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer actress, who at fifteen appeared in Ziegfeld's last Folies, has, since coming to Hollywood, confined her acting to dramatic roles.

She has appeared in "Marie Antoinette," featured dramatic parts in "Fast Company" and "Love Finds Andy Hardy," and is now returning to her first love, musicals.

The Duke of Kent was present at the annual dinner of the Queen's Own Royal West Kent Regiment at the Savoy Hotel recently. Major Humphrey Butler was in attendance.

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Telecommunications Amendment Bill Strongly Criticised By The Hon. Mr. M. K. Lo

STRONG CRITICISM OF CERTAIN ASPECTS OF THE BILL TO AMEND THE TELECOMMUNICATIONS ORDINANCE, 1939, was voiced by the Hon. Mr. M. K. Lo, Chinese Unofficial Member, at yesterday's meeting of the Legislative Council, at which a heavy agenda was dealt with. Amongst the points attacked by Mr. Lo were that "the Bill put the Postmaster-General in the dual position of judge and prosecutor" and gave a public officer, "including a police constable" more powers "than a police constable in England enjoyed."

"COMMERCIAL AND CONTRACTUAL, POLITICAL & MILITARY" REASONS

Following a reply by the Attorney-General, Hon. Mr. C. G. Alabaster, who gave "commercial and contractual, political and military" reasons why the Bill must at once become law, the Hon. Mr. Lo asked for a division, when the Bill was passed by 16 votes to 1, all other Members, Official and Unofficial, returning "Aye's."

Other Bills passed at the meeting, following second and third readings, were:—"A Bill to amend the Merchant Shipping Ordinance, 1899"; "A Bill to continue and amend the Sterling Salaries Conversion Ordinance, 1937"; "A Bill to amend the Naval Volunteer Ordinance, 1933, and provide for Naval Defence"; "A Bill to amend the Rating Ordinance, 1901"; "A Bill to amend the Dangerous Goods Ordinance, 1873"; and "A Bill to amend the Pensions Ordinance, 1932."

BANKNOTE ISSUE BILL.

In connection with the Banknote Issue Bill, which was introduced in Council for the first time, the Attorney-General said: "I think it is essential that this Bill is passed into law before July 12 and, as it is not anticipated that there will be another meeting of this Council before July 12, I now move that the Standing Orders be suspended in so much as prevents this Bill passing through all its stages to-day."

With regard to this Bill, official description of which reads: "A Bill to extend for a further period the powers of the Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China, the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation and the Mercantile Bank of India Limited to make, issue, re-issue and circulate notes," the Financial Secretary had previously issued the following statement:

The legal powers of the banks in Hongkong to issue notes expire on July 12, 1939. It will be necessary at a future date to revise the conditions on which notes are issued, but meanwhile it is desired to enable the banks concerned to carry on as at present, and the proposed ordinance accordingly provides for the extension from time to time to the banks' powers of issue.

The proposed new ordinance is concerned only with the machinery for the issue of notes and will in no way affect the present arrangements for maintaining the exchange value of the Hongkong dollar by means of the operations of the Exchange Fund.

BUDGET AND A.R.P.

The Colonial Secretary said:—When the Budget for 1939 was introduced last year, it was indicated that the exact measures to be taken in the sphere of air raid precautions were still under consideration. A full survey of the requirements was then being made and on its completion a programme covering the essential minimum was submitted to the Secretary of State and his expert advisers.

The necessary measures include the provision of sandbags for the protection of public buildings and structural alterations to such buildings, the addition of supplementary fire appliances and re-

serve medical stores and the acquisition of respirators for issue to essential services and of protective clothing and equipment for de-contamination squads.

In addition, it is proposed to make grants, on a basis to be agreed, to assist public utility companies for safeguarding essential services. Plans have also been prepared for other measures, including the digging of trenches, which will not be actually put in hand until an emergency arises.

After careful consideration the conclusion has been reached that apart from the enormous expense entailed it is not practicable to attempt any large scale schemes of protection for the general public such as tunnels, steel shelters and the like.

Underground Shelters
Tunnels or other underground shelters could, of course, be constructed, but the configuration of the land renders it impossible to place them so that access could be gained to them from the centres of dense population within the few minutes period of warning which is all that can be expected.

The existence of such shelters would, therefore, be merely a temptation to people to leave the relatively greater safety of their homes. It appears to be certain that in most cases such fugitives would fail to reach their objectives in time.

Householders are, therefore, recommended to take whatever steps they can to strengthen the ground floor of their houses, as advised by the Air Raid Precautions Officer.

As regards protection against gas an organisation is to be set up which will enable civilians to purchase respirators at cost price.

The respirators will be kept for the purchaser by Government in an air-conditioned store and issued on demand. A further announcement as to the details of this scheme and as to how applications under it should be made will be published later by the Air Raid Precautions Officer.

Heavy Expenditure

The carrying out of this programme has involved and will involve expenditure very substantially in excess of the proviso approved in the 1939 Estimates. Apart from the incidental expenses of the Air Raid Precautions Department that provision consisted of the sums of \$250,000 for all kinds of mobilisation stores and \$200,000 for public works, including a new store.

The further expenditure this year for which covering authority will now be required exceeds \$1,500,000 and the necessary formal votes will be submitted for the consideration of Finance Committee at this afternoon's meeting. Estimates for further expenditure next year will be included in the ordinary Estimates for 1940-41.

ASSESSMENT SIR H. POLLACK'S QUESTION

Pursuant to notice, Sir Henry Pollack asked: Has the assessment for the year 1939/1940 been completed? If so, will the Government give the figures of the new ratable values as compared with those for 1938/1939?

The Colonial Secretary replied: The totals of the new valuations for the several divisions of the rating area are shown in the following table, together with comparative figures for the assessment year 1938/1939:

District	Valuation 1938-1939	Valuation 1939-1940
City of Victoria	\$21,346,821	\$24,657,053
H.K. Villages	3,823,927	4,279,463
Kowloon	8,118,336	10,085,784
New K'loog	2,208,738	2,892,772
	\$35,502,622	\$41,915,072

WIDOWS, ORPHANS PENSION FUND

Moving the resolution relating to the Widows' and Orphans Pension Fund, the Colonial Secretary said:—On the June 1, last year, this Council adopted a resolution modifying a former resolution of August 2, 1902, laying down the rate of exchange at which pensions under the Widows' and Orphans' Pension Scheme expressed in dollars should be paid in England. It was then the intention to pay all such pensions awarded in future at the current rate of exchange.

It has since, however, been represented by certain officers that they have an equitable claim to the rate of exchange at the conventional rate of 3/- a dollar, on the grounds that the salaries or pensions upon which their contributions to the scheme have been calculated, although nominally expressed in dollars, were actually equivalent to sterling salaries at the fixed rate referred to, owing to the operation of exchange compensation allowances or other special exchange arrangements.

Government has recognized that in certain of these cases an equitable claim exists and it is, therefore, desired to have authority to make payment at the special rate in such cases after consideration by the Executive Council. The general position will, however, remain that ordinary dollar pensions under the Widows' and Orphans' Pension Scheme will not be entitled to any rate of exchange other than the current rate, wherever paid.

I now move that the resolution relating to Widows' and Orphans' Pension Fund passed on the 1st day of June, 1938, be rescinded and that the following resolution be substituted therefor:

It is hereby resolved that the resolution of this Council adopted on August 2, 1902, requiring that pensions paid in England from the Widows' and Orphans' Pension Fund be paid at the rate of 3/- to the dollar shall not apply to any pension granted on or after June 1, 1938, except in special cases where the Governor in Council has deemed it equitable to sanction payment at that rate.

The resolution was carried unanimously.

ATTENDANCE AT COUNCIL

Present at the meeting were:—His Excellency the Governor, Sir Geoffrey Northcote; Brigadier T. McLeod, representing His Excellency the General Officer Commanding Troops; The Colonial Secretary, Hon. Mr. N. L. Smith; the Attorney-General, Hon. Mr. C. G. Alabaster; the Secretary for Chinese Affairs, Hon. Mr. W. J. Carré; the Financial Secretary, Hon. Mr. S. Caine; the Harbour Master, Hon. Comdr. G. F. Hole, R.N. (ret'd.); the Director of Public Works, Hon. Mr. A. G. W. Tickle; the Commissioner of Police, Hon. Mr. C. G. Ferde; the Director of Medical Services, Hon. Dr. F. S. Selwyn-Clarke; and the following honourable unofficial members:—Sir Henry Pollock, Mr. T. N. Chan, Mr. M. K. Lo, Mr. S. H. Dodwell, Mr. Leo D'Almada e Castro, Jr., Mr. T. E. Pearce, Mr. W. N. T. Tam, Mr. J. K. Bousfield; and Mr. C. C. Burgess (Deputy Clerk of Councils).

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SUPPLEMENTARY EXPENDITURE OF \$1,959,140

Hon. Mr. M. K. Lo Queries A.R.P. Provisions

Following the meeting of the Legislative Council yesterday, a meeting of the Finance Committee was held, presided over by the Colonial Secretary, Hon. Mr. N. L. Smith, at which supplementary votes totalling \$1,959,140 were approved.

The sum were made up of two lots, one, totalling \$181,380 for general needs; the other, \$1,777,780 for Air Raid Precaution provisions—being for the carrying out of the policy as regards A.R.P. announced in the statement made by the Colonial Secretary at the Council meeting which had just concluded.

Nothing Done

In connection with the A.R.P. total, the Hon. Mr. M. K. Lo said: I hope the public will appreciate, from the announcement in Council, that nothing can be done and nothing will be done so far as affording shelter to the general public is concerned. I have heard that Government has obtained advice from various committees in regard to the whole of A.R.P. matters affecting Hongkong. As I have no knowledge at all, I really cannot say how far the decision reached by Government is really correct.

For instance, I cannot be satisfied that some kind of air protection to the very poor in the very densely populated districts is not feasible, but nothing has been put forward.

Statement Desired

The honourable member went on to say that if the public, after hearing the announcement, felt dissatisfied, and made some move in the matter, it was possible that further might be heard on the subject in Council.

I would like to ask whether it is not possible to make some kind of a statement in connection with A.R.P. matters, food-supply, etc. What I mean is, although most of us have heard of the workings of this Committee and that Committee, nothing has been put before this Council to show how well or how ill the Colony is prepared to meet an attack if it came."

Not Relevant

The President: I think your attitude is perfectly correct and not unexpected, but it is not strictly

H.K. STATISTICAL DEPARTMENT

A memorandum on studies conducted with a view to establishing a Statistical Department in Hongkong, made by Mr. D. Kelvin-Stark while on leave, was tabled in Legislative Council yesterday.

The report, which covers all aspects of the subject, is far too voluminous to publish.

relevant to the votes just taken, being more in connection with the announcement made in Council.

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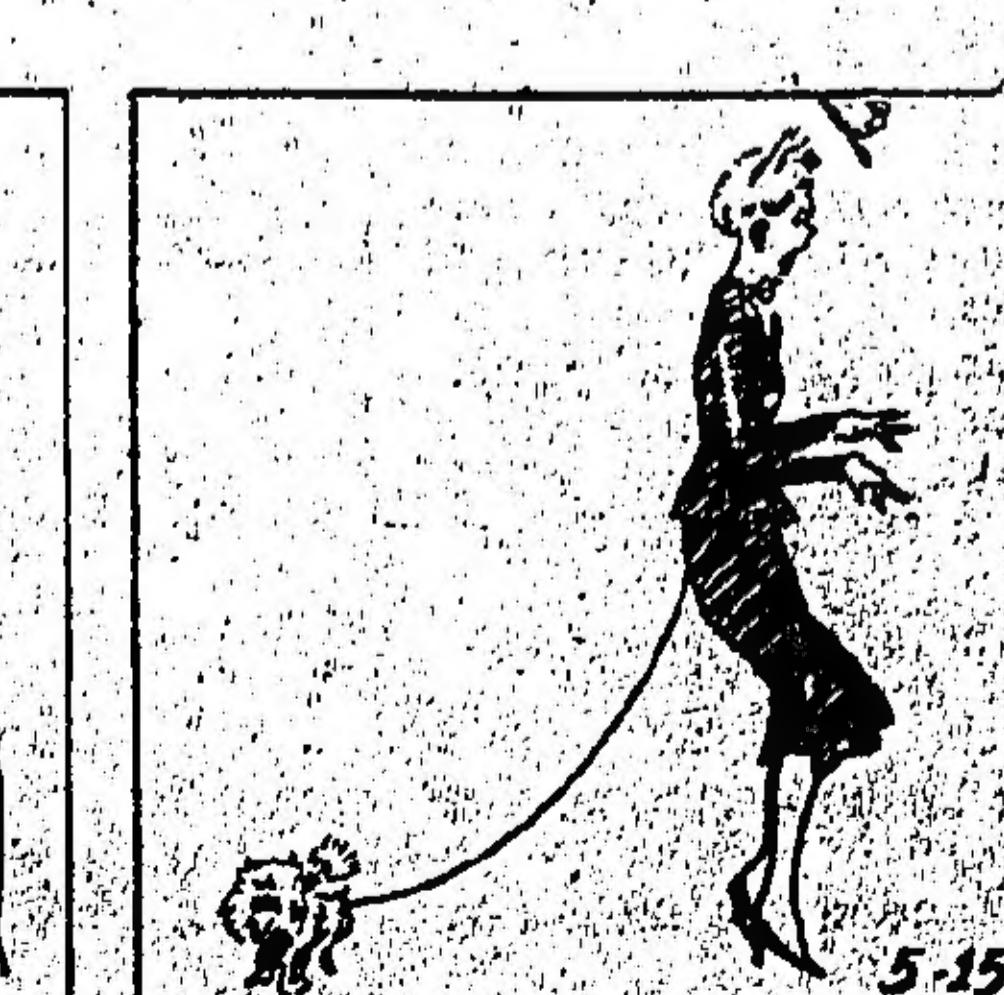
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A. G. W. TICKLE,
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Public Works Department.
Hong Kong, 29th June, 1939.

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Hong Kong, 29th June, 1939.

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By order of the Board of Directors,

W. L. MCKENZIE,
Secretary.

Hong Kong, 5th June, 1939.

DANCE HOSTESS
ROBBEDChinese Committed
To SessionsALLEGED QUARREL
WITH FATHER

Committee proceedings were heard before Mr. R. A. D. Forrest at the Central Court yesterday, when George Tong, alias Tong Fat, alias "La Cha" (Dirty) Tong, was charged with robbery of a gold wrist watch and finger rings, from Kwan Hing-hing, dance hostess, of the Lido Cabaret, on the roof of No. 330 Lockhart Road, Wan-chai, on March 5. Defendant was committed for trial.

Det.-Insp. W. N. Darkin prosecuted.

Outlining the facts, Insp. Darkin said that when the girl came out of the Lido Dancing Hall, about 2 a.m., she met defendant, who told her that a European friend wished to see her. Defendant then took her to Lockhart Road, where he demanded that she give up her jewellery. Defendant pushed her, and threatened to stab her, but he actually did not possess any weapon at the time. Defendant was arrested on information.

Kwan Hing-hing said that she knew defendant as "Dirty" Tong. She recounted the incident and added that defendant said he had a quarrel with his father and wanted to raise some money, with witness' jewellery, to buy a gun to deal with his father. Witness said she would get some money at home and give it to him, as the jewellery did not belong to her.

On her refusal, he twisted her hand behind and took off her gold wrist watch, and subsequently the two gold rings. Defendant also searched her hand-bag.

Chan Su-peng P. S. C. 630, gave evidence of the arrest of the defendant at the Tung On Wharf, and the discovery of the watch.

COOLIE DIES OF
STAB WOUNDS

Stated to have sustained stab wounds in a fight in the Wan-chai district, on June 23, Tam Kwong, 30-year-old coolie, died in hospital. The police have offered a reward of \$250 in connection with the murder.

Increasingly difficult to maintain her stand against the aggressor. The British Government and all those other Powers who have given their moral support to China in her present crisis, must realize, therefore, that by helping China now in a more substantial way than in the past, they will not only help her to preserve her independence and sovereignty from ruthless aggression, but also consolidate their own position in the Far East against any attempts that may be made in the future to oust them from their lawful and honourable associations with the Chinese. Britain, as China's closest friend, is quite rightly expected to take the lead in this matter.

THE "NEWS CHRONICLE'S" view is whole-heartedly supported by the other sections of the British press. The "Manchester Guardian" goes even further and urges that not only help of a monetary kind should be made available to China, but that her very fighting forces should be strengthened with war equipment. Never before has the British press, throughout the whole Empire, been so unanimous in their views as to the policy which their statesmen should adopt in dealing with a subject that has assumed such grave proportions and which has already resulted in a serious loss of British prestige and honour. The warning that has been sounded that failure to take up the Japanese challenge will have disastrous results on the position in Europe, to Britain's disadvantage, cannot be neglected and the Government must, therefore, give the matter their most serious consideration.

They owe it to the people of the British Empire — it is a responsibility which they cannot ignore and which they must preserve with all the means at their disposal if right and justice is to prevail over armed force.

THERE IS no longer any room for doubt that, unless China's resistance against this new method of attack is strengthened, she will find it

Full Military Honours
At The Funeral Of Sub-Insp. H. G. Baker, M.C.

FULL MILITARY HONOURS WERE ACCORDED AT THE FUNERAL which took place at the Colonial Cemetery yesterday of Sub-Inspector H. G. Baker, M.C., M.M., of the Hongkong Police Force, who died suddenly at the Police Training School yesterday morning. The Very Rev. J. L. Wilson, Dean of the Cathedral, officiated at the graveside.

The cortège was headed by a firing-party and a band from the Royal Scots, followed by European Inspectors, Sub-Inspectors and Sergeants and Chinese and Indian contingents of the Hongkong Police Force.

Following the service, and the firing of three volleys, buglers from the Royal Scots sounded the "Last Post" and "Reveille."

Sub-Inspector Baker joined the Police Force in 1925 and during his service was commended in 1926, 1931 and 1933. He served with the British Army during the Great War and was awarded the Military Medal and the Military Cross.

He is survived by his wife, who is in England, two sons, Peter and Harry, now in Hongkong, and two sisters, to whom much sympathy is extended.

THOSE PRESENT

A large gathering of friends was present at the last rites yesterday and among them were Mr. C. G. Perdue, Acting Commissioner of Police, Mr. W. F. Thompson, Superintendent of Police, Mr. F. W. Shafrazi, A.D.C.I. (G.), Mr. E. V. Searle, A. S. P. Chief Inspectors J. C. S. Fender, W. R. Chester-Woods, M. H. Hourihan, Inspectors J. R. McWalter, W. H. Nollott, W. Mair, S. Shephard, A. Kirby, A. V. Baker, W. Russell, S. C. Saunders, J. Y. Chiang, Wong So, Sub-Inspectors R. Cunningham, C. Poynz, E. G. Post, H. W. Fraser, J. J. Walsh, A. J. Johnson, J. Godard, L. Tyler, J. Orem, P. L. Barnicle, Sergeants W. E. B. Howel, T. Cashman, D. Davies, J. May, F. H. J. Kelly, F. E. Russell, H. T. Matthes, J. Allen, J. Hill, D. Mann, E. Stewart, H. S. Pilkington, the Rev. Mackenzie-Dow, Mr. F. Culien, Mr. G. B. Witchell, Mr. D. C. W. Fitches, Mr. C. P. Fallon and many others.

THE WREATHS

Family wreaths were sent from "His Sorrowful wife and sons, Peter and Harry," and "His Loving sisters, Dorothy and Iris."

Other floral tributes were sent by the following:—The Commissioner and Superintendents of Hongkong Police, Inspector and Mrs. W. Russell and family, Inspector and Mrs. E. G. Post, Mr. and Mrs. D. Fitches, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Everest and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stone and Boys, Mr. and Mrs. Tuckett, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Darlin, Mr. and Mrs. Holloway and family, Mr. and Mrs. G. Grimmit and family, Mr. and Mrs. Chester-Woods, Mr. and Mrs. M. Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Armitt, Mr. and Mrs. Shephard, Mr. and Mrs. B. Thorpe, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Fraser, Mr. and Mrs. R. McEwan, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Ritchie, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Butcher, Mr. and Mrs. W. Mair, Mr. and Mrs. A. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. G. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Walsh, Mr. and Mrs. Hunt and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hopkins, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Pockon, Mr. and Mrs. J. Orem and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Sabey and Frank, Mr. and Mrs. F. Channing:

Mrs. V. L. Witchell and family, Inspector Chiang Jen-yu, Inspector Wong So, Sergeant Major Wong Jan, Sub-Inspector Lam Yan-fu, Ng Chan-sing, Chan Kui-yeuk and Lam Yung-hon, Sub-Inspector R. Cunningham, Sergeants A. L. Cummings, A. Shaw, H. T. Matthes, J. Michie, Sergeant G. F. Robinson, Detective in Muk, the Chinese Staff of the P.T.S., Messrs. Pun Yu-tong, Doulun, Ho Kai-ke, Kimson Lew, Cheung Hok-wah, C.S.L. Ho Cho-ye, P.S.C. 277 Ip Wai-ye, L.S.D. 93, Chiang Ping-shau, D. Ashby, Davitt and Taylor, J. Mathews, Thomas Cashman, A. T. Manton, A. W. Mooney, F. W. Shafrazi, L. R. Whant, A. S. Farquhar, D. C. S. MacPherson, S. C. Walker, H. Woods, Insp. Channah Singh, Insp. Ali Mohamed, S. M. Arjan Singh, J. S. Riddell and J. R. McWalter, W. La-Bart Sparrow, M. J. Flattery, W. S. Glendinning and family, C. Goodwin, W. P. Thompson, K. A. Bidmead, G. B. Wilson and E. V. Searle, Chas. H. Gough, B. Bentley, D. Danbrown, D. Clark, T. H. Davy, J. Goddard, Tsoi Tsin-on:

Evidence was given and the hearing was adjourned to July 4 at noon.

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TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS
WEEKLY RETURN

A record number of traffic accidents was recorded in the colony during the week ending at 8 a.m. on Saturday, June 24, 1939. There were altogether 120 ACCIDENTS AS THE RESULT OF WHICH 2 PERSONS WERE KILLED AND 68 PERSONS WERE INJURED.

The two killed were Chinese boys, age 11 and 15, who were knocked down respectively by a private motor car and a bus while running across the road.

Of persons injured, 38 were pedestrians, who were either walking or running across the road and were struck by vehicles.

Of the 120 accidents, 50 were collisions between vehicles and 43 were collisions between vehicles and pedestrians while 27 accidents were due to other causes.

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In accordance with Government Ordinance, THE EXCHANGE BANKS will be CLOSED for the transaction of PUBLIC BUSINESS on Saturday, the 1st July, 1939. (The first week-day of July).

They will also close for the transaction of EXCHANGE BUSINESS at 1 p.m., on Monday, the 3rd July, 1939.

Hong Kong, 28th June, 1939.

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IT WILL TAKE A LONG TIME TO ERADICATE THE RESENTMENT FELT OVER JAPANESE ACTS

STERN WARNINGS BY LORD ELIBANK & MR. CHURCHILL

Lord Elbank, speaking in the House of Lords, and Mr. Winston Churchill, in the course of a speech in London, both uttered stern warnings yesterday with regard to the situation in the Far East.

Lord Elbank warned the Government against making any form of concessions to the Japanese in the forthcoming negotiations over Tientsin, while Mr. Churchill referred to the incidents being created in China by Japan as "a trap to lure us away from the seas where any major trouble, which may arise, will be decided."

LONDON, June 29 (Reuters)—In the course of his remarks in the House of Lords yesterday, Lord Elbank said that it would take a long time to eradicate the resentment felt in regard to the Japanese acts.

He mentioned that among the points which were agitating the public mind was the report that the Japanese Government might propose British co-operation in suppressing all anti-Japanese elements.

Without saying anything offensive to Japan, he believed that the word "co-operation" in the Japanese dictionary meant giving everything to Japan for which they ask without question and he asked the Government and Sir Robert Craigie (British Ambassador in Tokyo) to fully bear this in mind when negotiating.

"A Death Blow"

Britain might also be asked to support Japanese currency in North China. The British Government had declined to accept this suggestion, but he wished to urge the Government to stand fast on that line and not to give way one iota to what would mean a death blow to international trade and British trade likewise in China and the Far East.

Lord Elbank said that there was also the Japanese attitude in connexion with the \$50,000,000 in silver deposited in the Chinese banks in Tientsin. There was a suggestion that this silver might be handed over to Japan in the course of the negotiations and he could not urge too strongly upon the Government the disastrous effect this would have upon the Chinese mind and upon the position of all British nationals in the East, and he hoped this would be brought into effect in any way.

Lord Elbank concluded by saying: "I wish to emphasize very strongly the feeling of resentment, of very strong resentment in this country and in the British Empire."

"Japan must not go too far in this matter, because there is a point at which we may not be able to hold out any longer."

GOVERNMENT & THE PRESS

Resolution On Future Relations

LONDON, June 29 (Reuters)—The Empire Press Union Conference adopted a comprehensive resolution embodying suggestions made during the debate on the relations between the Government and the Press.

The resolution urged that the Department of Information, directed by Lord Perth, should concentrate on the dissemination of facts and on their interpretation where necessary, leaving the organs of public information to draw their own conclusions.

That complementary to this department, regular contacts between representatives of journalists and Ministers should be maintained;

British Wireless News That the British Official Wireless news should not be expanded beyond its present volume and should be confined to the dissemination of information of national importance; and

That measures should be adopted in co-operation with the Colonial Office, to make its service available to newspapers where, owing to geographical or other causes, no general news service was available.

GROWING TENSION IN FOOCHOW

PREPARATIONS FOR JAPANESE LANDING

CHUNGKING, June 29 (Reuters)—The Chinese authorities have declared Martial Law in Foochow, which they are preparing to defend against the Japanese attack, according to Chinese despatches.

From to-day, no foreign or Chinese ships will be allowed to enter or leave the harbour.

The Chinese shore batteries yesterday exchanged heavy fire with eight Japanese warships in the Min River.

Heavy fighting between the Chinese and a Japanese landing force is reported to have occurred on the island of Yuwang, near Wenchow.

KANMEN EVACUATED

KINHWA, June 29 (Central)—Owing to the destruction of their defences, Chinese forces evacuated from Kanmen, island city of Yuhwan Island, off the Chekiang coast, yesterday.

The Japanese, who effected a landing on the island on Tuesday, were reinforced by 200 more marines yesterday morning. Heavy fighting preceded the Chinese withdrawal.

The Japanese, after entering Kanmen, set many houses on fire. The configuration was still raging at a late hour last night.

The right of free entry of British vessels into Chinese ports is insisted upon by the British authorities who, as stated last week, will refuse to recognise any attempt by the Japanese to alter these conditions.

So far, merchant ships calling at the ports affected by the Japanese blockade have not attempted to enter, but British warships have been instructed to assist in landing passengers and mail, if required.

H.M.S. Scout has already assisted to land passengers and mail from three steamers.

The naval authorities have advised all British shipping companies to maintain regular sailings.

In addition to the Scout, H.M.S. Thanet is also at Swatow, while the Dorsetshire and Deltic are at Amoy and the Duchess and Daring are at Foochow.

THIRD BIG FIRE IN THREE DAYS

LONDON, June 29 (Reuters)—The third big fire in three days occurred in Upper Thames Street where a warehouse was gutted. Scores of fire engines battled the flames while further assistance was rendered by auxiliary fire brigades.

There were no casualties but some persons had to jump onto the mudbanks of the Thames in order to escape.

TERRITORIAL ARMY RECRUITING

LONDON, June 29 (B.W.S.)—During the fortnight ended last Saturday, 4,555 recruits joined the Field Force of the Territorial Army, bringing the total territorial strength to over 40,000.

The number of officers and men who have joined since the announcement twelve weeks ago of the doubling of the Territorial Army is about 190,000.

Lai Gan, 20-year-old youth, of Ningpo Road, died on the way to the Kowloon Hospital, after having suffered from a fit.

Sang Sang, 10-year-old boy of the Agricultural Farm, has reported the theft of his bicycle, valued at \$15, while delivering goods in Nathan Road at 5 p.m. yesterday.

M. Henri Cozette, French Ambassador to China, arrived in Hongkong by Air France plane from Hanoi on Wednesday on his way from Chungking to Shanghai. The Ambassador will stay in the Colony for one or two days before leaving for the North.

CABLES

ITALO-GERMAN AIR FORCES TO CO-OPERATE

BERLIN, June 29 (Reuters)—An agreement for the close co-operation between the German and Italian air forces was announced yesterday in a communiqué issued after a meeting held in Kurfürstendamm between Field Marshal von Goering and Gen. Valle, Chief of the Italian Air Force.

CHINESE ADVANCE IN SHANSI

JAPANESE SUFFER HEAVY LOSSES

LOYANG, June 29 (Central)—More strategic points near Kaolochen, in south Shansi, have been retaken by the Chinese in their pursuit of the Japanese retreating from Yuanku. These include Machishan, Yenchiashan, and Liu-

linli.

The Japanese, who suffered heavy casualties in their defeat at Yuanku last Sunday, have sustained further losses.

The Japanese at Kianghsien, whose number was recently increased to over 10,000, launched a drive towards Yicheng, in the north-east, yesterday. Fighting is reported to have started.

About 700 Japanese attacked the Chinese positions north of Changtienchen on Tuesday. They were beaten back with severe losses.

Japanese Enveloped

YUNGYUN, KWANGTUNG, June 29 (Central)—Five hundred Japanese infantry and cavalry men invading Tienwo, south of Fahsien, were subjected to an enveloping attack by the Chinese on June 27, suffering heavy casualties.

Concentrated Fire

SHUSHUI, KIANGSU, June 29 (Central)—A Japanese unit moving along the highway west of Wuning in northwest Kiangsu on the morning of June 28 was intercepted by the Chinese at Hsiao Chia Temple and Lan Tiao Pao, about five miles west of Wuning. Subjected to concentrated Chinese fire, the Japanese lost more than thirty men. The survivors fled eastward.

Irregulars Revolt

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They seized two Japanese trench mortars, over 100 rifles and 10 machine-guns, and joined the Chinese fold.

Two hundred more Chinese irregulars in the vicinity have also turned against their Japanese commanders.

Japanese Give BRITISH MISSION NOTICE TO QUIT

PEIPING, June 29 (Reuters)—The Japanese Military authorities are reported to have given the British Anglican Mission one week's notice to vacate the hospital in the suburbs of Tatung, in Shanxi.

Bishop Norris has left for Tatung to investigate the Japanese demands.

It is stated that the property is worth \$400,000 but the Japanese are offering \$70,000 for it.

Conscription Extension Planned

LONDON, June 29 (T.Ocean)—A plan for extending the British conscription up to a 24 years of age limit is being prepared by the British War Office, according to the "Daily Mail" this morning, which states that influential Government leaders have demanded this step.

This would affect 800,000 men and would encounter considerable difficulty.

The "Daily Express" demands, in its leading article, an extension of conscription and refers, in this connection, to Premier Daladier's announcement that France would keep one military class in uniform.

Shuan Yee-tong, 25, was remanded for 48 hours when he appeared before Mr. R. Edwards at the Central Court yesterday charged with larceny of \$4,540 (Chinese currency) from a fellow lodger at Room No. 410, Sun Wah Boarding House, Connaught Road Central on June 25 to enable the latter to arrange supplies which will be approximately equivalent to the ten per cent quota for six months.

JAPANESE POLICY IN CHINA

PRINCIPLES OF OPEN DOOR CONTRAVENED

Dr. Wellington Koo's Lecture In London

LONDON, June 29 (Reuters)—Dr. Wellington Koo, in delivering a Cobden Memorial lecture before the Royal Society of London, said that not only had China's sovereignty been encroached upon, but inevitably with this encroachment flagrant acts in contravention of the principle of the "open door" had taken place."

It seemed to be one of the principal objects of Japanese policy in China to undermine and destroy the principle of equal opportunity, which had proved to be, for nearly half a century, a stabilizing influence on the relations between China and the Powers.

Real Intentions

The Japanese Government has revealed more and more clearly its real intentions. The objects sought to be obtained is evidently the total elimination from China of the rights and interests which other powers have acquired under treaties with China."

Dr. Koo said that the situation for European and American commercial interests in China in territory now under Japanese military occupation was becoming more precarious every day.

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A Warning

Dr. Koo's Lecture Dr. Koo warned his listeners that if Japan should ever be able to lay her hands on the whole of China and thus obtain control of her immense manpower, her great possibilities as a market and her vast storehouses of mineral and agricultural wealth, it was certain that she would "convert these limitless and invaluable assets of power and strength into formidable means and instruments of domination and conquest."

Distinguished Gathering

The subject of Dr. Koo's lecture was "The Open Door and World Peace" and was delivered before the special case of submarines which it was contemplated might entail modification, was the violent disturbance of the general equilibrium of naval armaments, and even then modification would only take place in consultation with His Majesty's Government.

The German Government do not maintain that such a condition, in fact exists. Still less have they invited His Majesty's Government to examine the situation before taking their action.

Terrible Hardships

LONDON, June 29 (Reuters)—"Of all the terrible hardships in the world to-day, China's is the most terrible," declared Mr. Noel Buxton at the luncheon of the Overseas League in support of the China Campaign Committee.

He painted an appalling picture of the sufferings in China and appealed for assistance for humanitarian work. "If only to vindicate our own consciences," he concluded.

Bad Weather DEFERS THETIS SALVAGE

LONDON, June 29 (B.W.S.)—The salvage ship Zello will not leave Birkenhead to-night for the scene of the Thetis disaster because of bad weather conditions in Liverpool Bay where half a gale is raging.

The decision as to the future sailing of the Zello will be made when weather conditions become more suitable.

SENATE APPROVES ANGLO-U.S. BARTER AGREEMENT

I.R.C. Not Approached Regarding Rubber Supplies

LONDON, June 29 (Reuters)—The International Rubber Regulation Committee has not yet been approached regarding the supply of rubber under the Anglo-American barter agreement pending passage ratifying the legislation in both countries.

The Foreign Affairs Committee of the American Senate yesterday unanimously approved of the agreement.

The clause, covering the barter agreement inserted in the Ministry of Supply Bill, is at present before Parliament.

The Committee hopes that legislation will be completed before the next meeting of the Rubber Committee on July 25 to enable the latter to arrange supplies which will be approximately equivalent to the ten per cent quota for six months.

In an alleged attempt to commit suicide, Tam Wah-sing was removed to the Queen Mary Hospital last night from the Kai Sang Boarding House, Connaught Road Central on June 25. Det.-Sgt. Headridge stated that defendant and complainant arrived from Haiphong on June 24.

COUNTY CRICKET LUNCH SCORES

LONDON, June 29 (Reuters)—County cricket lunch scores are as follows:

Derbyshire 142 for 3 v. Sussex 258; Glamorgan 100 for 4 v. Lancashire 249; Gloucestershire 127 for 3 v. Yorkshire 176; Hampshire 165 for 8 v. Essex 181; Kent 183 for 9 v. Leicestershire; MCC 269 for 7 v. Oxford 176 for 3; Norfolk 63 for 1 v. West Indies 369; Nottinghamshire 97 for 2 v. Worcester 141; Surrey 276 v. Cambridge 183 for 1.

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British Memorandum On Anglo-German Naval Pact Termination

LONDON, June 29 (Reuters)—The text of the memorandum on the termination of the Anglo-German naval agreement,



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NUTRITION & HEALTH

Nutrition, in its relation to health and disease, forms the subject of an interesting article contributed by Dr. Li Stoo-yin, a member of the Nutrition Research Committee of Hongkong. The following are excerpts from the article:

"Nutrition sometimes reads 'good food.' Live organisms obtain their nutrients through food to supply their bodies and then excrete the accumulated waste. This exchange of materials is called nutrition and requires the following five actions:—(1) Intake of food (2) digestion (3) absorption (4) replacement (5) excretion."

Function of Nutrition

What is the function of nutrition? It is the replacement of the old by the new. During the life of a body the nutrient elements of good is ceaselessly being digested, absorbed, retained in the body (as blood and bones) or stored as materials for heat production (as glucose).

Such process of maintaining the organs is called metabolism (metabolism may be defined as building or organizing). But organisms have to maintain the organs, and to produce body heat or energy for various physical actions. It is necessary to change the metabolized materials to simple forms for the production of heat and energy. Such a process is called catabolism. (Catabolism may be described as breaking down or dividing).

Goal of Health

What is to be done to fulfill the conditions of nutrition if one wants to reach the goal of health? Generally you know the sanitary conditions about and the harm of overeating or underfeeding. Perhaps many of you do not know the requirements of nutrition in food and how to take them in proportion. The quality of the same nutrient is different from different sources. It is the same chemically but is different when used physiologically. Again, due to personal differences of digestion and absorption or due to the way of cooking and storage the same nutrient may be caused to change. All of this may influence our health.

Chinese Food

According to Professor Woo, first, the amount of animal protein in Chinese food is too low; second, even if the plant protein taken is as good as animal protein the total amount consumed is less than that consumed by the Americans. He discussed thoroughly in his "General View on Nutrition" the lack of phosphorous and calcium, and pointed out the way for remedy.

Sickness

Any violation of the required conditions for health will cause poor development and weakness of the body in mild cases or sickness in severe cases. In comparison the two harmful effects are the same. However, sickness is easy to find out and can be taken care of. If the sickness is not long in duration good health may be recovered without medical care. But the origin of weakness due to malnutrition is sometimes not easy to locate.

All the sickness arising from malnutrition can be entirely cured by improving the nutrient elements without any need of medicine. Moreover, those who study nutrition must apply the knowledge of it to keep up health and prevent diseases. Curing of diseases is secondary.

Rapid Advances

Nowadays, science is booming. The science of nutrition is also making radical advances day after day. Modern people particularly doctors, nurses, good specialists, housewives, nursing mothers, educators, good merchants and economists, managers of large plants and stores, etc., ought to be nutrition-conscious and nutrition-minded. All urgently need the knowledge of nutrition. This is the reason why the Government of Hongkong organized the Nutrition Research Committee.

MEN OF WAR IN HARBOUR

The following men of war were in harbour yesterday:

Gunboats: Tarantula, Moth, and Seaweed.

Submarines: Phoenix, Regent, Grampus, Odin, and Otus.

Destroyers: Thracian, and Diana.

American men of war: American, Mindanao, Pope, and Tuisa.

French: Argus.

GENERAL

OFFICERS' EMERGENCY RESERVE IN COLONY

The Headquarters of the China Command has published a list of conditions for joining the Officers' Emergency Reserve (Abroad), membership of which is open to academically or technically qualified British subjects, the sons of British subjects, of pure European descent, between the ages of 25 and 55 years.

All applicants must pass a physical examination, provided free by the China Command Headquarters under arrangements to be notified later. Cases with a doubtful medical history or suffering from a disability liable to be aggravated by service will not be accepted.

Applicants are required to provide testimonials from the senior serving or retired officers of the fighting services or the civil service, senior

members of business firms (not more than one from any firm), local clergymen or magistrates who have known them during the past four years.

EMERGENCY COMMISSIONS

When called for service, volunteers of the O.E.R. will be appointed to emergency commissions as 2nd Lieutenants. No guarantee is given that temporary commissions will be given in ranks held by applicants who previously served as officers, except in cases where such applicants have been allowed to retain their rank on resignation, retirement or demobilization.

Qualified medical practitioners will be accepted for service with the R.A.M.C. provided they are registered under the Medical Acts in force in Great Britain and Northern Ireland. It is desirable that those who have already signified their willingness to serve in the event of an emergency should re-register under the present scheme.

CERTIFICATES NEEDED

Civil servants or civilian employees of Government Departments must accompany their applications with a certificate from their department permitting them to enrol.

Applications should be made to the Deputy Assistant Adjutant General, Headquarters, China Command. Correspondence in connection with applications shall be treated as strictly confidential. Details of the arrangements to be made as regards training, and allowances connected therewith, will be published later.

In the event of mobilization, members of the Officers' Emergency Reserve should not write to or call at China Command Headquarters offering their services, the statement concludes. All members will be notified when their services are required.

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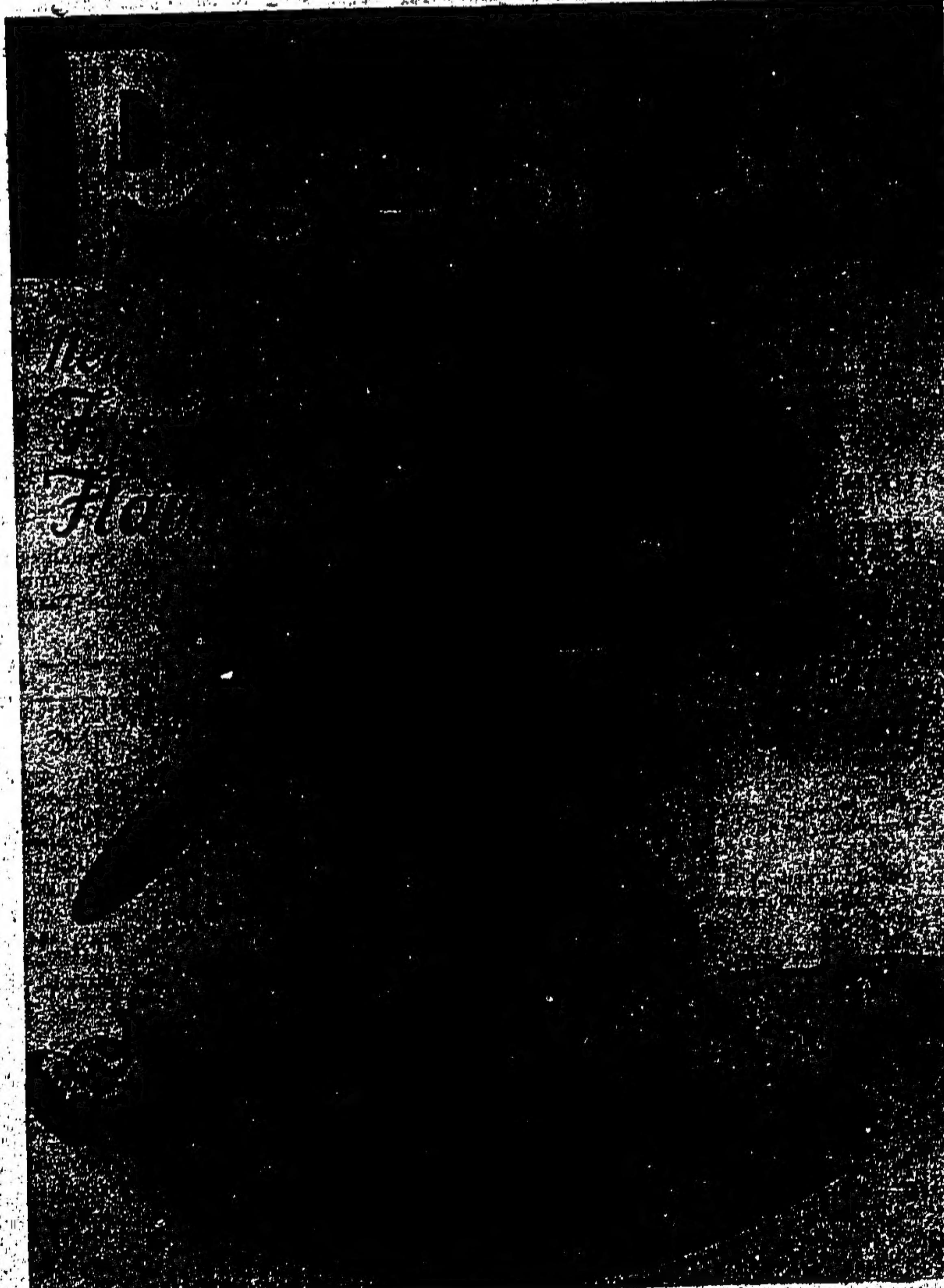
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On demand	52 7/16
On Japan:	105
On demand	52 7/8
On India:	
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On New York:	
Bank Bills, on demand	28/11/14
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On Batavia:	12/16
On demand	63 7/8
On Paris:	
Bank Bills, on demand	1083
Credits 4 months' sight	1125
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Market Report

FROM ROZA BROS

Silver prices dropped 3/4 yesterday for both deliveries, the quotations being 183/16 for Ready and 18 for Forward. Silver advances reported speculators as having sold. India supported the market to a small extent. The market was uncertain. Later the market was quietly steady. The market closed with buyers at the quoted rate. Sellers bid 1/16 over. American Silver was quoted at 39 3/4 for Spot.

The London/New York cross-rate was quoted at 468.12. New York/London was quoted at 468.1/8.

Market

Quiet but inclined to easiness.

Sterling

A small business was done early in the morning at 1/27/32 for cash. Later offers at 1/21/16 were accepted for September, August and July. The market closed at 1 p.m. with sellers at 1/21/16 June, probably July, 1/25/32 August/September and 1/23/4 October/November, buyers at 1/22/32 cash, 1/21/16 August and 1/25/32 December.

U.S. Dollars

Business was reported at 28 7/8 for the first half of July. The market closed with sellers at 28 7/8 Cash, 28 13/16 July and 28 3/4 August, buyers at 28 15/16 Cash, 28 7/8 first half July and 28 13/16 August.

Shanghai Dollars

Sellers at 223 for Spot, buyers at 224.

Shanghai Market

Sellers of Sterling at 819/32 for Spot and U.S. at 12/27/32 for Spot.

Afternoon Market

The market was quiet in the afternoon.

Sterling

The market closed with sellers at 1/21/16 June/first half August 1/25/32 August/October and 1/23/4 November/December, buyers at 1/22/32 Cash, 1/21/16 September and 1/25/32 December.

U.S. Dollars

The market closed with sellers at 28 7/8 Cash, 28 13/16 July and 28 3/4 August, buyers at 28 15/16 Cash, 28 7/8 probably first half July and 28 13/16 August.

Shanghai Dollars

Sellers at 223.

Shanghai Market

Unchanged. Quiet

New York Exchange

New York, June 28 (Reuter). T.T. on London (Opening Rate), 468-1/4.

India Rupee Paper

Bombay, June 28 (Reuter). Govt. 3 1/2% Rupee, 96-03-0.

Calcutta Exchange

Calcutta, June 28 (Reuter). T.T. on Japan, 78-5/8.

London Exchange

London, June 29 (BWS). Closing mean rates were:-

Paris, 176-23/23

New York, 4881

Montreal, 4691

Brussels, 27531

Geneva, 20761

Amsterdam, 831-15/16

Milan, 68

Berlin, 11.87

Buenos Aires, 20.21

Other rates were unchanged.

SILVER MARKET

LONDON SILVER

London, June 28 (Reuter). Speculative sales met small Indian support. Business quiet and tone uncertain as prices are under American parity. In the afternoon the market was quietly steady, with India a small buyer at the fixed rate to 1/16 over, after which there were buyers at 1/16 over. Spot, 18-3/16d. Forward, 18d.

STERLING

OPEN MARKET-SELLING RATES

STERLING

OPENING CLOSING SELLERS

SPOT

JUNE 1939

OFFTAKE 125 BARS

INDIAN MINT SILVER

READY

JULY 1939

AUG. 11 SETTLEMENT

48-14

U.S. DOLLARS

JUNE 1939

12-27/32

12-27/32

12-9/32

12-7/32

08-5/15

MERCHANT RATES

08-1/2

\$12-11/16

SILVER DUTY RATE

THE CENTRAL BANK OF CHINA'S RATE ON LONDON AT 10 A.M., TO-DAY WAS 1/2-1/2D. UNCHANGED FROM YESTERDAY.

THE EQUALISATION RATE WAS NOT QUOTED.

LONDON GOLD

LONDON, JUNE 28 (REUTER).

BAR GOLD, FINE PER OZ., 148 1/4.

DOLLAR PARITY, 1D. PREMIUM.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

QUOTATION

STOCKS

LAST SALE JUNE 28

STOCKS

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JUNE 29, 1939

STOCKS

LAST SALE JUNE 28

ADAMS EXPRESS

INT. NICKEL

INT. TEL & TEL

ALLIS CHALMERS

AMER. CAN.

AMER. & FOREIGN POWER

AMER. GAS & ELECT.

AMER. LOCOMOTIVE

AMER. METALS CO.

AMER. RADIATOR

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AMER. TEL & TEL

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BENDIX AVIATION

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BORG-WARNER

BIGGS MANUFACTURING

BROOKLYN-M'HTTAN TRANS.

B'KLYN-M'HTTAN 56 CUM. PT.

CANADIAN PACIFIC R.WY.

CASE, J.L.

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CHRYSLER CORP.

COOPER INDUSTRIES

COLUMBIA GAS & EL.

COLUMBIA 5% "A" PT.

COMMERCIAL

COMMONWEALTH & S. (ORD.)

COMMONWEALTH & S. 6% CUM. PT.

CONSOLIDATED EDISON

CONTINENTAL CAN.

CONTINENTAL OIL

CORI PRODUCTS

CURTISS WRIGHT "C"

CURTISS WRIGHT "A"

DEERE & CO.

DISTILLERS CORP. SEAGRAMS

DOUGLAS AIRCRAFT

DU PONT DE NEMOURS

EATON MFG. CO.

ELEC. AUTO-TO.

ELEC. BOND & SHARE

ELEC. BOND & SHARE 85 PT.

ELEC. POWER & LIGHT 7% PT.

FLINTKOTE

FOOD MACHINERY CORP.

GEN. AMERICAN TRANS.

GEN. ELECTRIC

GEN. MOTORS

GEN. RAILWAY SIGNAL

GENERAL TIRE & RUBBER CO.

GLIDDEN CO.

GOODRICH (B.F.)

GOODRICH 85 PT.

GREAT NORTHERN IRON ORE

GREAT NORTHERN RLY. PT.

GREAT WESTERN SUGAR

GREYHOUND CORP.

HECKER PRODUCTS

HOMESTAKE MINING

INDUSTRIAL RAYON

INTERNATIONAL HARVESTER

DOW JONES AVERAGE

HIGH LOW DOW JONES AVERAGES

154.85 131.44

24.32 24.14

36.55 30.71

51.09 45.59

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BANKS

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION

Authorised Capital £50,000,000
Issued & Fully Paid-Up £20,000,000
Reserve Funds:
Sterling £8,500,000
H.K. Currency Reserve \$10,000,000
Reserve Liability of Proprietors £30,000,000

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Also up to date SAVES DEPOSIT Boxes in various sizes To Let

Hong Kong, 6th June, 1939.

HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK

The Business of the above Bank is conducted by the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. Rules may be obtained on application.

For the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.
V. M. GRAYBURN,
Chief Manager.

Hong Kong, 25th Feb., 1939.

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KAN TONG PO,
Chief Manager.

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Specially Chartered by THE NATIONAL GOVERNMENT OF CHINA AS AN INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE BANK

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Owing to our numerous Branches in China and connections in the principal Commercial Centres of the World, we are able to extend to our Clients special facilities for Domestic and Foreign Banking and Exchange.

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We also handle the issue of Bonds and other Public Funds of the Chinese Government both at Home and Abroad.

SHOU J. CHEN,

Manager.

H. K. STOCK EXCHANGE

The market continued firm but very dull. Sellers still holding for higher rates which they will undoubtedly get with any favourable news; and although Buyers are reluctant to advance their prices due to the uncertain conditions now appearing; they may find they have missed the boat by being over cautious.

HEAD OFFICE: LONDON:

38, Bishopsgate's E.C.2.

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17/12, Leadenhall Street, E.C.3.

West End Branch:

14/16, Cockspur Street, S.W.1.

Manchester Branch:

52, Mosley Street, Manchester, 2.

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DELHI MEDAN TSINGTAO
HAIPHONG NEW YORK YOKOHAMA
HAMBURG PEIPING (Peking)
HANKOW

FORMOSA EXCHANGE and General Banking Business transacted.

CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened and FIXED DEPOSITS received for One Year or shorter periods in Local or Other Currencies at rates which will be quoted on application.

SAVINGS ACCOUNTS also opened in Local Currency and Sterling with interest allowed at rates obtainable on application.

The Bank's Head Office in London undertakes, Executor and Trustee business, and claims recovery of British Income Tax overpaid, on terms which may be ascertained at any of the Agencies and Branches.

R. A. CAMIDGE,
Manager.

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For the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

V. M. GRAYBURN,
Chief Manager.

Hong Kong, 25th Feb., 1939.

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D. M. BIGGAR,
Second Vice Pres.

EMPIRE NEWS

CENSUS OF WEALTH IN AUSTRALIA

The Menzies Government has attained the calm of recess after the most trying week in its short history. The Country party, which consists mainly of farmer members, harassed and obstructed the new United Australia Party Government, apparently merely to show that it holds the whip hand.

The Ministry clearly will be unable to take a determined strong stand and forge ahead with its programme unless it is somehow able to negotiate a new coalition with the Country party, which left the Government on the death of Mr. Lyons. But at present there is no prospect of this.

The National Register Bill, with the wealth census provision tacked on, was carried.

The wealth census was accepted against the advice of more experienced Ministers who stated that most of the information was already in the possession of the taxation departments. It provides that individuals, companies and firms shall record all forms of property owned if in excess of £500.

Amended Plans For Relief Work

Acting on representations by elected members and the advice of the Labour member, the Governor of Jamaica, Sir Arthur Richards, has amended the plans for relief work. He announces that work will start soon if sufficient unemployed apply for it.

The new terms of employment will be £s 6d per day, but labourers will only work six hours, instead of eight, and will be given a free lunch by the Government.

Chinese tea destined for foreign markets is being produced under more and more improved scientific methods under Chinese Government auspices. In order to aid tea producers and merchants, the

STEEL ORDERS FROM JAPAN FOR U.S. FIRMS

NEW YORK, June 29 (Reuter)—Orders for steel mill equipment valued at several million dollars, have been placed with the United States by two Japanese firms.

Weekly Wheat Report

H.K. Bank, \$1325.
Union Ins., \$427.
H.K. Lands, \$35.
H.K. Tramways, \$164.
China Lights (O), \$8,20.
H.K. Electric, \$55.
Wing On (H.K.), \$41.
H.K. Govt. 4% Loan 4% pm.

SELLERS

Canton Ins., \$230.
H.K. Fires, \$185.
Providents, \$44.
H.K. Lands, \$36.
H.K. Realties, \$480.
Star Ferries, \$661.
H.K. Electric, \$56.

SALES

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H.K. Fires, \$185.
Providents, \$44.
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PHILIPPINE GOLD MINING QUOTATIONS

Atoks 20.
Antamok 17.
Baguio Gold 21.
Batong Buhay 012.
Big Wedge 19.
Coco Grove 27.
Consol. Mines 0025.
Demonstration 8.
I. X. L. 45.
Ipo Gold 16.
Itogons 21.
Masbate Consol. 10.
San Mauricio 84.
Surigao Consol. 19.
United Paracale 37.
Mindanao Motherlode 82.

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Thursday, June 29, 1939.
Centavos

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Market Comment—Quiet.

Interest Rates on Application.

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HONGKONG SHAREBROKERS' ASSOCIATION

Volume of Business Transacted

on Thursday, June 29, 1939.

Lands (June 28) 100 \$35.80

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Trams 1,000 16.80

China Lights (N) 177 5.25

Yau Ma Tei Ferries 120 22.50

San Mauricio 5,000 P. 0.86

HELP FOR CHINA'S DOMESTIC TRADE

CHUNGKING, June 28 (Central)

Besides regulating the flow of China's imports and exports, the Foreign Trade Commission of the Ministry of Finance has undertaken to help supply markets in the interior with Chinese manufactured goods produced outside free China. It handled \$1,245,820.93 worth of commodities for interior cities last year.

The Commission's service to domestic markets falls into three categories: shipping and wholesaling by the Commission itself, forwarding for retailers, and wholesaling for producers. Goods forwarded for retailers accounted for \$616,023.67 in 1938. Commodities shipped and sold by the Commission itself amounted to \$397,660.28. Wholesaling for producers totalled \$332,157.

IMPORTANT MARKETS

Domestic goods handled by the Commission came mostly from Shanghai where a large stock of Chinese manufactured goods was stored at the outbreak of the hostilities. The important markets in the rear provinces include Chungking, Kunming and Changsha.

Cloth, rubber shoes, socks and stockings, underwear, and other daily necessities were the chief articles bought and sold by the Committee.

London Price Fall

LONDON, June 28 (BWS)—

There was a further decline in silver yesterday to the lowest level touched since December 1937.

The decline was due to the adjustment to the new buying price announced in Washington last night. Spot was 16s 16d and forward 18s.

Report states, the Farmers Bank of China and the Bank of Communications have jointly earmarked a sum of \$20,000,000 to be granted as credit loans in the tea-producing areas.

BIG INCREASE IN BRITISH TRADE

Exports Rise £7,500,000 In A Month

An all-round improvement in Britain's overseas trade is shown in the May returns issued by the Board of Trade. Both imports and exports were higher than last year and better than in any previous month of this year.

The figures were:

Exports, including re-

exports £47,285,713

Imports £78,541,325

The increases above the figures for April and May of last year were as follows:

Over April 1938

Exports £7,557,149 £1,943,724

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Via Canada

TO HONOLULU, CANADA,
UNITED STATES AND
EUROPE

EMPEROR OF JAPAN Noon July 7
EMPEROR OF ASIA Noon July 21
EMPEROR OF CANADA Noon Aug. 4
EMPEROR OF RUSSIA Noon Aug. 18

Air-conditioned equipment on C.P.R.
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SAN FRANCISCO & LOS ANGELES via Honolulu.
KAMAKURA MARU (Start from Kobe) 24th July
TAIYO MARU 4th Aug.

SEATTLE & VANCOUVER. (Starts from Kobe;
Convenient connection from Hong Kong).

HIKAWA MARU (from Kobe) 18th July

SOUTH AMERICA (West Coast) via Honolulu, Hilo,
Los Angeles, Mexico, & Balboa to Valparaiso.

ATAGO MARU (from Kobe) 22nd July

NEW YORK via Panama.

AKAGI MARU (from Kobe) 29th July

LONDON, MARSEILLES, NAPLES via Suez.

YASUKUNI MARU 8th July

KASIMA MARU 29th July

SYDNEY & MELBOURNE via Manila, Davao, Thursday
day Island, Brisbane.

KITANO MARU 29th July

BOMBAY via Singapore & Colombo.

NAGATO MARU 2nd July

ANYO MARU 11th July

BANGKOK & CALCUTTA via Singapore

MATUE MARU (Calls Madras) 2nd July

DURBAN MARU 17th July

KOBE AND YOKOHAMA

HAKONE MARU 30th June

SUSUMI MARU 18th July

RAMO MARU 21st July

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on 18th JULY

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SHIPPING



DUE TO-DAY

Hakone Maru, Japanese, 6,306
regd. tons Capt. T. Fujita from
Europe & Straits 7 a.m. at buoy
No. A9—N.Y.K. (Tel. 30291).

Emp. of Japan, British, 15,725
regd. tons Capt. J. D. Douglas
from Vancouver, Japan and Shai
8 a.m. at Kloon Wharf—C.P.S. (Tel.
20725).

Yunnan, British, 1,634 registered
tons Capt. J. Middleton from
Tientsin a.m. at buoy No. B7—B.
& S. (Tel. 30331).

Nanking, Swedish, 3,486 registered
tons Capt. Abenius from Ja-
pan & Shai 6 p.m. at buoy No. A9
—Gliman & Co. (Tel. 30950).

Soochow, British, 1,584 registered
tons Capt. J. Whyte from Hai-
phong, Pakhoi, Holtow and K. C.
Wan a.m. at buoy No. B7—B. & S.
(Tel. 30331).

ARRIVED YESTERDAY

Mui Hock, Norwegian, 305 registered
tons Capt. J. Mathiassen from
Bangkok at buoy No. Cl—
Chin Seng Hong (Tel. 25291).

Behar, British, 2,910 registered
tons Capt. S. F. Champion from
Japan & Shai at buoy No. A3—
M. M. & Co. (Tel. 27721).

Greta Maersk, Danish, 4,097 re-
gistered tons Capt. H. Hendresen
from U. S. A. Japan and Shanghai
at Kloon Wharf—Jebson & Co.
(Tel. 31205).

Tilawa, British, Capt. J. W.
Milne from buoy No. A2 for Singa-
pore, Port Swettenham, Penang
Rangoon & Calcutta 10.30 a.m.—
M. M. & Co. (Tel. 27721).

Nanking, Swedish, 3,486 registered
tons Capt. Abenius from buoy
No. A9 for Manila, Straits, Port
Sudan, Port Said, Algiers, Oran,
Casablanca, Antwerp, R'dam
(Amsterdam), Hamburg, Copen-
hagen, Oslo, Gothenburg & other
Scandinavian Ports p.m.—Gliman
& Co. (Tel. 30950).

Tilawa, British, 6,153 registered
tons Capt. J. W. Milne from Kobe
at buoy No. A2 — M. M. & Co.
(Tel. 27721).

King Yuen, British, 1,546 registered
tons Capt. N. Hardie from
Shanghai at buoy No. B12 for Saigon p.m.—Wo
Fat Sing. (Tel. 30055).

Pronto, Norwegian, 1,283 registered
tons Capt. Waago from Hon-
gkong at Yaumati—K. Larssen & Co.
(Tel. 20998).

Turul, Hungarian, 1,509 regis-
tered tons Capt. U. Lojosa from
Nuenockan at Yaumati Far East
Shipping & Co. (Tel. 30471).

Steel Ranger, American, 3,450
regd. tons Capt. E. Lucas from
Haiphong at buoy No. A1—Bank
Line. (Tel. 27791).

PASSENGERS BY S.S. TAISANG

The following passengers left
the Colony on board the Taisang
which sailed for Shanghai yester-
day:

For Shanghai and Haiphong:
Mr. and Mrs. Cater, Mr. Lean, Mr.
Zee;

For Shanghai: Mrs. Olsen and
two children, Miss A. M. Chue,
Miss M. da Rosa, Capt. Jewell, Mr.
A. Fenkel, Mrs. R. Louzier and
child, Mrs. Wylie, Mr. A. F. Knud-
sen, Mr. Olsen, Mrs. Futtera, Miss
Futtera, Mrs. Fung, Mr. G. Ben-
nett, Mr. Holland, Sgt. Coleman,
Miss L. Garnhart, Mrs. G. S. Lau,
Mr. C. T. Lau, Mr. A. Koumetoff,
Mr. M. V. Gedich;

For Weihaiwei: Mrs. E. Wing-
field, Mrs. M. E. Britton;

For Tongku: Mrs. Trenchard
Davis, Miss Trenchard Davis, Miss
Trenchard Davis;

For Tientsin: Dr. P. Y. Lam,
Driver J. Senior.

DUE TO-MORROW

Conte Biancamano, Italian,
13,682 regd. tons Capt. G. Ferrara
from Straits 7 a.m. at Kloon Wharf
—Lloyd Triestino. (Tel. 32983).

Emp. Sanz, British, 2,025 registered
tons Capt. C. M. Cater from
Haiphong a.m. at buoy No. B7—
J. M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).

Ninghai, British, 1,482 registered
tons Capt. Paul from Wen-chow
a.m. at buoy No. B7—B. & S. (Tel.
30331).

Tai Sean Hong, French, 1,298
registered tons Capt. T. J. Mills from
Shai a.m. at buoy No. B7—
J. M. & Co. (Tel. 28651).

Nankin, British, 4,420 registered
tons Capt. T. J. Mills from Kloon
Wharf for Manila, Rabaul, Bris-
bane, Sydney, Melbourne and Hob-
art 4 p.m.—M. M. & Co. (Tel.
30331).

Canton, French, 976 registered
tons Capt. G. Charlot from buoy
No. B17 for Haiphong 4 p.m.—M.
M. & Co. (Tel. 28651).

Klungchow, British, 1,545 regis-
tered tons Capt. R. H. Fairley from
buoy No. B20 for Swatow & Shai
4 p.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Hakone Maru, Japanese, 6,306
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from Kloon Wharf for Manila 8
p.m.—C.P.S. (Tel. 20752).

Mari Moller, British, 357 registered
tons Capt. J. W. Miller from
Williamson Wharf for Swatow
9 a.m.—Jebshun & Co. (Tel. 24533).

Rheinland, German, 3,222 registered
tons Capt. Rohlf from Kwo-
loon Wharf for Shai, Dairen, Ko-
be and Yokohama p.m.—Jebson &
Co. (Tel. 31205).

Glenishiel, British, 5,762 registered
tons Capt. Brown from Taikoo
Dock for Port Said, Casablanca,
London, R'dam, H'burg, Antwerp
via Straits and Colombo p.m.—J.
M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).

Tilawa, British, Capt. J. W.
Milne from buoy No. A2 for Singa-
pore, Port Swettenham, Penang
Rangoon & Calcutta 10.30 a.m.—
M. M. & Co. (Tel. 27721).

King Yuan, British, 1,545 registered
tons Capt. N. Hardie from
buoy No. B15 for K. C. Wan, Hol-
low, Pakhoi and Haiphong 4 p.m.—
B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Conte Biancamano, Italian,
13,682 regd. tons Capt. G. Ferrara
from Kloon Wharf for Manila,
Straits, Colombo, Bombay, Egypt
and Italy p.m.—Lloyd Triestino.
(Tel. 32983).

Changon, British, 2,238 registered
tons Capt. L. N. Beer from
buoy No. B7 for K. C. Wan, Hol-
low, Pakhoi and Haiphong 4 p.m.—
B. & S. (Tel. 31481).

Kowloon Bay—Claude Chappe,
Kowloon Wharf—Van Heutsz,
Rheinland, Nankin, Greta Maersk,
Stonecutters—Jessie Moller, In-
dia, Hannah Moller.

C.M.S.N. Wharf—New Mathilde,
Changon.

DOCKS

Taikoo—Breconshire, Dardanus,
Chinese Prince, Glenshield, Nam-
ming and Anlack.

Kowloon—Mayon, Silverview,

Corridor, Boissevain, Chak Sang
and Bust.

BUOYS

No. A 2—Tilawa

No. A 3—Behar

No. A 5—Hong Peng

No. A15—Benledi

No. B 5—Hauk

No. B10—Hellos

No. B12—Heikton

No. B15—King Yuan

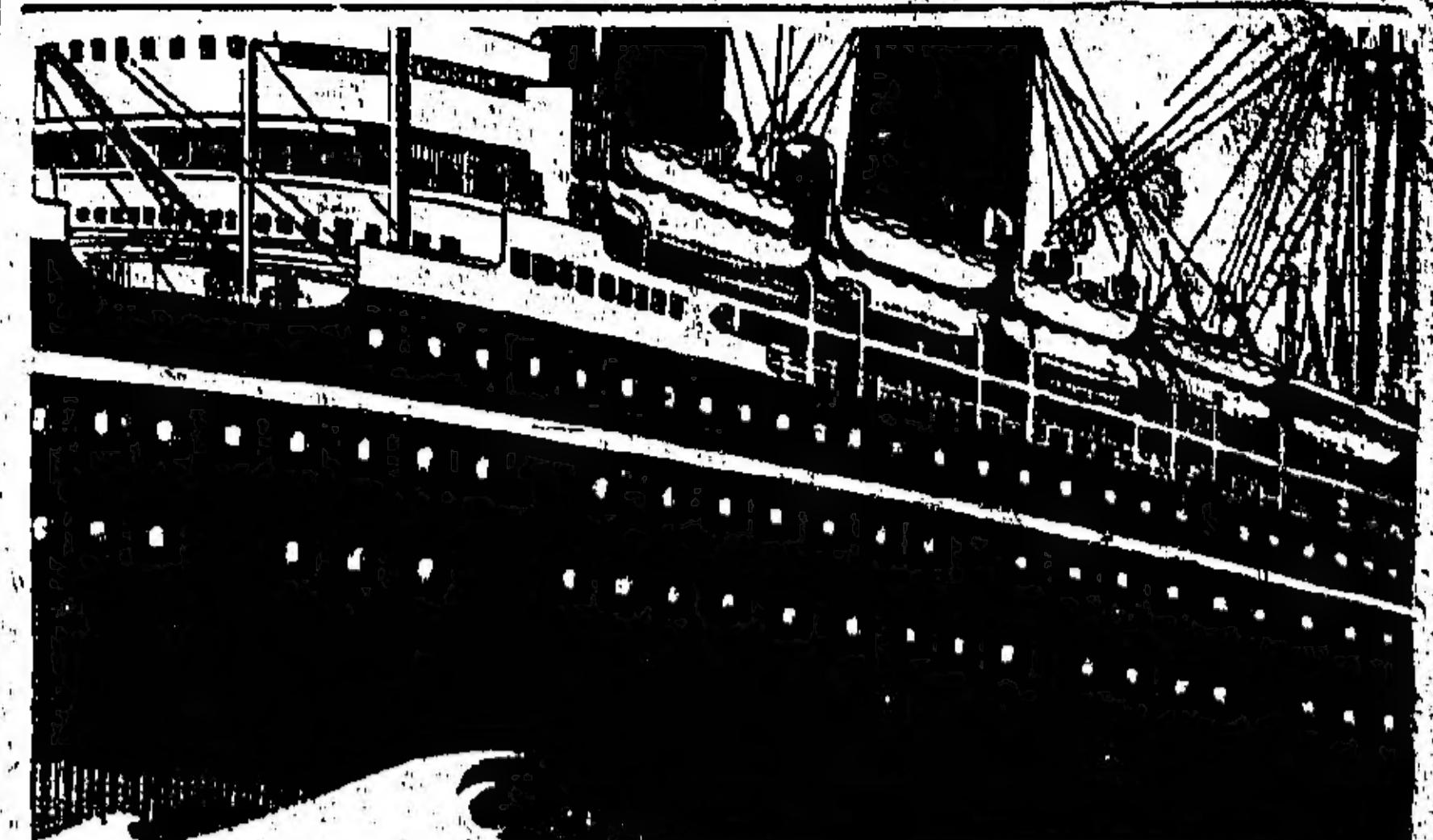
No. B17—Canton

No. B20—Klungchow

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